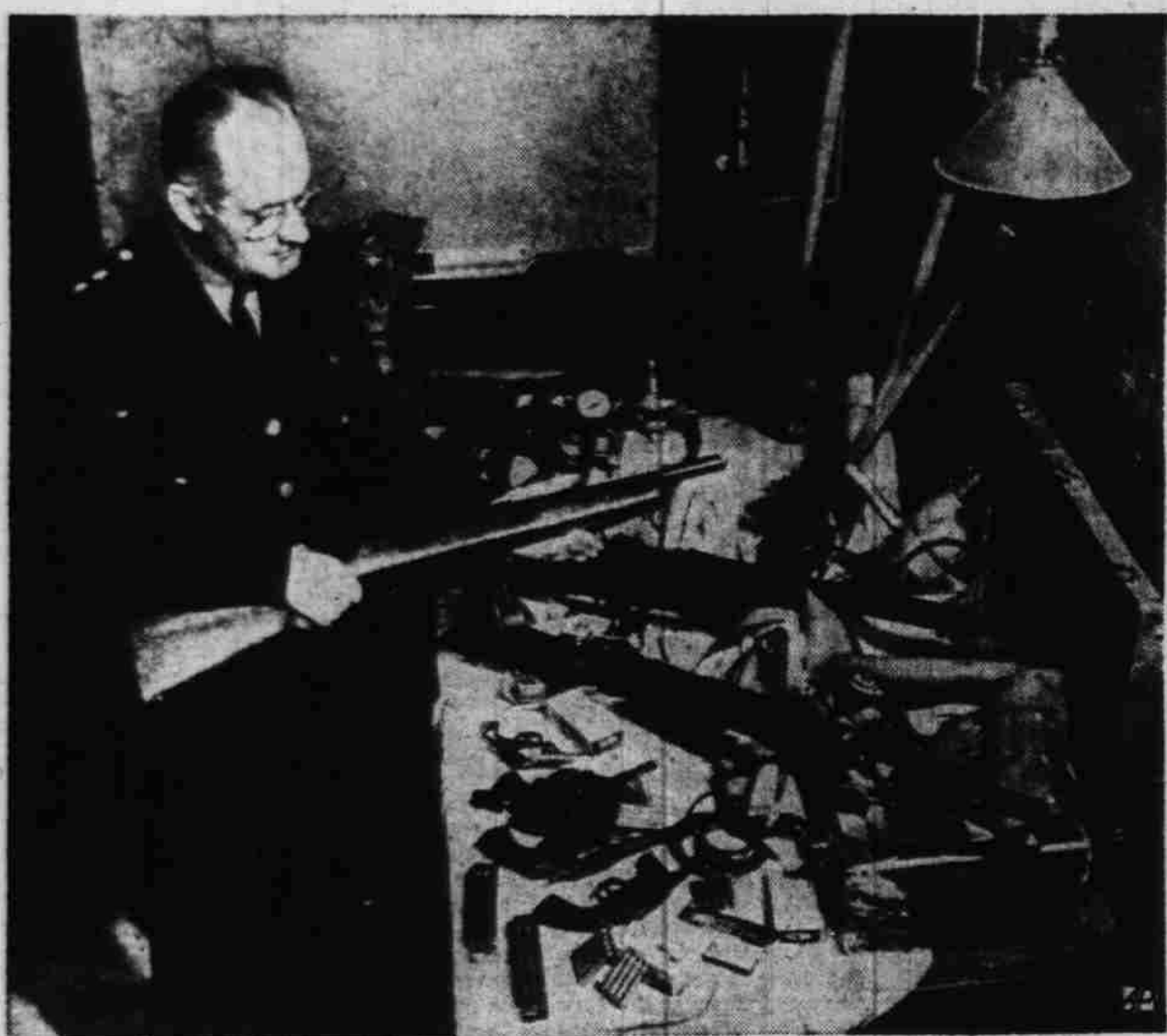




'ARSENAL' FOUND UNDER STAIRWAY—Police Capt. John T. O'Malley looks over some of the lethal equipment discovered under a stairway in a basement apartment in Chicago. The "arsenal" included two sticks of dynamite, four caps, pistols, nitroglycerine, a machine gun, and four automatic rifles. Six men and two women were held by federal authorities in connection with recent burglaries of midwest postoffices. (AP Wirephoto).

UNRRA To Meet To Apportion Available Food

WASHINGTON, March 9. (AP)—The 47 nations which are members of the United Nations Relief and Rehabilitation Administration will gather at Atlantic City March 15 to seek means to apportion the world's short food supply as fairly as possible.

The conference brings UNRRA back to the city where it was organized three years ago. It expects desperate pleas for more food from delegates of the nations where malnutrition is widespread and starvation threatens: Poland, Czechoslovakia, Greece, Byelorussia, the Ukraine, Italy, Albania, China, India, and the Philippines.

The answers must come from the only nations with food surpluses: the United States, Canada, Australia, New Zealand, and Brazil.

The conference also faces the knotty problem of the fate of some 900,000 refugees—mostly from Poland, Czechoslovakia, Yugoslavia, and Russia—who are still in the occupation zones of the US, the United Kingdom and France.

UNRRA has aided the military in their care, but its authority to do so expires shortly. It will seek extension. These people's home nations in some cases have objected to UNRRA's aid for them, and are demanding their return home.

UNRRA has been beset by worries from the start. First, it lacked ships to move supplies to the war zones as they were liberated—Yugoslavia, then Europe, now China.

Its initial fund of \$1,850,000,000 ran out recently. That money was accumulated through contributions from member nations of sums equal to one percent of their annual income in the year ending June, 1943.

Now a second purse, almost as large, has been pledged by second donations from the US, the United Kingdom, Canada, Australia, New Zealand, and the Dominican Republic. More donations are expected to bring the second sum up to the first.

Reviewing The

Big Spring - Week -

Joe Pickle

Administrative officials are compiling results on an attendance check as of Friday. It is not improbable that a 500 to 600 gain in attendance over a comparable day last year will be shown. Information is to be used as the basis of a special census in hopes of getting more state support for the schools. With the added teacher load, this would certainly come in handy.

Not long ago Capt. John Quinn, son of Mrs. Mabel Quinn, put his ship into a Korean port. On an inland trip he spotted a chaplain's home and asked that two chaplains be sent to his ship for Sunday services. One of them reporting to his ship was Garrett A. Nalley, brother of C. O. Nalley. A small world, after all.

The Red Cross drive is near enough that final reports from workers might put it across the hump. Here's hoping that those

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GOP, Southern Democrats Unite To Gain Control

WASHINGTON, March 9. (AP)—A large group of southern democrats and republicans teamed up today in an organized bid for control of congress.

Their leaders disclosed formation in the house of an informal ten-member committee to recommend a course of action. They said a similar organization is planned in the senate.

Their immediate goal is to whittle down the powers of OPA,

Senate To Make Standard Rules For Agencies

WASHINGTON, March 9. (AP)—The Senate is about ready to lay down 1-2-3, A-B-C regulations on what government agencies can do and what the people can do if they don't like it.

The legislation, introduced by Senator McCarran (D-Nev.), is designed to standardize rules and regulations which apply to activities of government agencies such as the Office of Price Administration, the Civilian Production Administration and others.

A somewhat similar measure was passed in 1940 but vetoed by President Roosevelt.

These are some of the regulations which would be placed upon government agencies:

1. Every agency shall publish in the federal register its rules and "no person shall in any manner be required to resort to organization or procedure not so published."

2. General notice of proposed rule-making shall be published to gether with the time, place and nature of the proceedings, and interested persons shall have an opportunity to participate.

3. Except in cases where judicial review is prohibited by statutes, "no person suffering legal wrong because of any agency action, or adversely affected or aggrieved by such action within the meaning of any relevant statute, shall be entitled to judicial review thereof."

4. Qualified examiners—"as many as may be necessary"—shall be appointed to take evidence, administer oaths, issue subpoenas and make decisions or recommendations.

Catholic Ireland Mourns Death Of New US Cardinal

DUBLIN, March 9. (AP)—Catholic Ireland mourned tonight for John Cardinal Glennon of St. Louis and planned homage to the patriarchal prince of the church who died this morning in his native land just 19 days after his elevation to the sacred College of Cardinals.

The body of the 83-year-old churchman lay in state tonight in the presidential mansion. It will be borne by air for burial in a crypt in the St. Louis Cathedral.

Cardinal Glennon died at 8:51 a. m. (2:51 a. m. EST). Weakened from his trip to Rome and weakened by bronchitis, he had developed congestion of the lungs and had fallen into a semi-comatose condition last night.

His body will lie in state until Monday in the chapel of All Hallows College in Dublin.

At Mullingar, the cardinal's diocese, a solemn requiem high mass will be celebrated Wednesday. On Wednesday afternoon the cortege will continue to Rineanna and Shannon airport. The body will be flown to the United States in a TWA Constellation plane.

Many of Ireland's great and humble bowed in tribute to the cardinal's life in the historic state mansion. American, Irish and Papal flags fluttered at half staff for the one-time Irish missionary who rose in the United States to his princely rank in the Roman Catholic church.

Possibility Seen Of Big Three Meeting Soon

WASHINGTON, March 9. (AP)—A dark cloud of suspicion hung depressingly over international affairs today with a strong possibility that it will bring a new meeting soon of the big three to clear the air.

Immediate interest was focused upon whether the Allies will attempt an over-all settlement of their controversies or continue to try for piecemeal solutions.

In some diplomatic quarters here, the stand has been taken that the situation now is so serious that the present policy of tackling one problem at a time will serve only to aggravate the irritations.

But the question of another British-Russian-American conference appeared to hang immediately upon who will take the initiative for calling the conference.

President Truman acknowledged yesterday that he was not discounting the possibility of such a meeting, but indicated strongly his feeling that it should be in Washington when and if it is held.

A number of disputes current at this time would produce a long agenda for such a meeting, among them:

1. Italy—The difficulty centers chiefly around what should be done about the big pre-war Italian colonies. The United States and Great Britain took the position last fall that they should be placed under United Nations trusteeship for a limited period. Russia held out for a system of individual trusteeships, and maneuvered for control of Tripolitania.

2. Iran—Both Iran and the United States have lodged protests at Moscow against Russia's failure to withdraw Red army forces from Iran by an agreed-upon deadline of March 2.

3. Turkey—Russia informally has sought territorial concessions from Turkey with the likelihood she will press for joint Turkish-Soviet control of the strategic Dardanelles.

4. Manchuria—The United States has entered a protest to Moscow based upon an official Chinese report that Russia was claiming as booty Japanese-owned industrial equipment in Manchuria.

5. Bulgaria—Latest development was Russia's charge that the United States is responsible for what Moscow called an effort to "sabotage" a three power agreement for broadening the base of the Bulgarian government.

Three Texas Congress Members Not To Run

WASHINGTON, March 9. (AP)—The powerful 21-man Texas delegation in the House this week faced the loss of three of its members, including two with 62 years combined service.

The delegation is solidly Democratic. The trio who announced they would not seek reelection: Chairman Hattin W. Summers of the Judiciary committee, who represents Dallas county; Chairman Fritz G. Lanham of the Public Buildings and Grounds committee, whose 5-county district includes Fort Worth; Sam Russell of Stephenville, a member of the Judiciary committee, whose district includes 12 West Texas counties.

Plan Memorial

WASHINGTON, March 9. (AP)—Plans for a national auditorium, proposed to be built here as a memorial to members of the armed forces in both world wars, will be discussed at a meeting of national and local organization representatives April 2.

GM Hardship Cases Not So Bad As 30's

DETROIT, March 9. (AP)—Hardship cases stemming from the 100-day-old General Motors strike are mounting daily but from the standpoint of relief and breadlines the situation is much less acute than that occasioned by labor strife in the late 1930's.

Although admitting the first 100 days were the easiest, welfare department officials here in the big corporation's backyard proudly point out that less than seven percent of the 30,000 Detroit GM workers thus far have sought public financial aid.

British's Worst Sports Disaster

BOLTON, England, March 9. (AP)—At least 33 persons were killed and scores injured in Britain's worst sports disaster today when two retaining barriers collapsed in a soccer stadium grandstand, tumbling hundreds of screaming spectators forward and piling bodies deep.

Police said four persons were injured seriously, 22 others were treated at hospitals and discharged and 500 were given first aid near the scene of the accident.

The barriers collapsed shortly after the start of the championship match attended by a record crowd of more than 70,000 persons. Bolton police said at first there were 38 dead, but later revised the total to 33. Two of the dead were women.

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'TOO BUSY'—Marshall Rodion Malinovsky (above), Soviet commandant in Manchuria, was reported by AP Correspondent Spencer Davis as "too busy" to meet nine correspondents interned in Changchun who sought confirmation that Malinovsky said: "We don't want those with gold in their pocket to come in (to Manchuria) and handicap our friendship with China." (AP Wirephoto).



AP'S DAVIS—Spencer Davis (above) Associated Press Correspondent, had three other newsmen reached Peiping, China, safely March 8 in a marine plane after they had been stranded in Soviet controlled Manchuria for 10 days. They had been held incommunicado in USSR-controlled Changchun. (AP Wirephoto).

Chinese Say Russians Feared World Opinion, Took All They Wanted

EDITOR'S NOTE: Spencer Davis, Associated Press correspondent, has returned to Peiping after visits to Mukden and Changchun, Manchuria's capital, where he and eight other correspondents were held incommunicado for a time.

By SPENCER DAVIS

CHANGCHUN, Manchuria, March 9. (Delayed) (AP)—A high Chinese official said today that the Russians feared to stay in Manchuria because of world opinion and would pull out after that giant industrial area was picked clean down to its steel ribs.

Chinese sources assert the Soviet stripping has extended to great power dams and coal mines, leaving a grave fuel shortage in one of the world's richest coal regions.

The official, who declined to permit the use of his name, declared the Russians were making sure that Manchuria would be industrially weak while Soviet maritime provinces in the Pacific have a chance to take the machinery and build up strategic industries.

He said the Russians definitely regarded Manchuria as a threat to their security and were ready to use force now to obtain concessions.

The official pointed out that the Russians had learned that they had to maintain a large army in Siberia to watch the Japanese in Manchuria and they wanted to avoid this hereafter.

As to what Russia may ask of China in the way of further economic concessions in the rich territory, the official shrugged and said:

"I don't know exactly what they want. We only know they seem to take what they want when they want it."

Official Chinese sources estimated it would take at least three years to restore Manchuria to something like the industrial capacity it boasted under the Japanese, who built a productive empire there in 14 years.

Since Japan collapsed and the Russians moved in, the Chinese have watched trainloads of vital machine tools in endless procession roll toward Siberia, and particularly the great Russian base of Vladivostok.

Under the Chinese-Russian treaty of last August, it was agreed that factories established in Manchuria after 1905 belonged to China and those antedating that year would be jointly administered.

Thus, the South Manchurian Railway, which was there before 1905, would be jointly operated, but actually the Red army runs it now.

The Russians, the Chinese sources say, got around the agreement by using a clause in the same treaty calling for close economic cooperation and by making their own interpretation of what constituted war booty.

Operator Finds Elevator Gone

BROWNWOOD, March 9. (AP)—An impatient tenant of a Brownwood building stepped into an elevator, found the operator gone, and piloted the elevator to the fifth floor alone.

A few moments later, Mrs. Wanda Thompson, the operator, opened the outside door of the shaft to step into the cab which she had left on the ground floor. She fell 12 feet to the floor of the shaft. She was hospitalized for treatment of minor injuries.

Selection of Jurors

CHILDRESS, March 9. (AP)—Selection of jurors for the trial of Wade Bradford, charged with murder in the knife slaying of Marvin Waldrup last Nov. 25, will begin in district court here Monday.

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International Situation Growing In Tenseness

Russians Evacuate Manchurian Town

SHANGHAI, Sunday, March 10 (AP)—Russian troops have withdrawn completely from Mukden but the situation there is tense, with fires of undetermined origin raging and a communist uprising feared, the Chinese Central News agency reported today.

The agency dispatch said alleged Chinese communist forces were active in the suburbs and it was feared they might attempt to seize control of the hungry, sprawling city of 2,000,000.

Before evacuating the city the Russians turned over their garrison duties to the Chinese. A Chinese central government force of some 14,000 men has been in Mukden for some weeks, but until the Russian evacuation was restricted to a limited section of the city and actual control had been in Russian hands.

Trainloads of Russian troops from Mukden already have arrived in Changchun, the Manchurian capital, the Central News said.

It said the Soviet withdrawal from Mukden began Thursday and was completed yesterday, with the bulk of the troops moving northward.

High Chinese quarters in Chungking said they did not regard the Mukden evacuation as necessarily indicating a general Russian withdrawal from Manchuria. These sources, declining to be quoted by name, said they had not received any information so far suggesting a general withdrawal was under way, and that until they did so they would not be too optimistic.

Nevertheless the news that Manchuria's largest city was in Chinese hands again after almost 14½ years of foreign occupation was greeted with relief in Chungking.

Chinese reports said that 500 central government officials assigned to take over administration of the vast territory would be at their posts by Monday. They are being flown into Manchuria in chartered planes.

Some 14,000 central government troops already were in Mukden, but up to now their movements had been restricted to a small section of the city, and actual control was in Russian hands.

Earlier Vinson told the governors of the \$18,800,000,000 bank and fund that their's was "a race against time for sanity" in rebuilding a sound world economy and that the next war might be the last.

Vinson was joined by Lord Keynes of Britain, one of the key figures of Bretton Woods, and by spokesmen for China, France, Mexico and Czechoslovakia in urging the delegates to breathe life quickly into the two lending organizations designed to promote world trade and facilitate foreign exchange transactions.

A patter of applause greeted a brief message from President Truman. He said the erection of a sound economy was imperative and said:

"Whether such a sound economic world will be realized will depend very largely upon your individual and collective endeavors. For the great institutions provided for at Bretton Woods must now become living operating organisms."

"In this task I wish you god-speed. You must not fail."

Phenomenologists Trying To Predict Outcome Of Tests

WASHINGTON, March 9. (AP)—Predicting the almost unpredictable—just what may happen when an atomic bomb gets a sea trial today is occupying Army - Navy "phenomenologists."

Their job is as tricky as their name.

All they have to do is figure out, before the Bikini Atoll tests, just what phenomena the bomb explosion can generate in the way of blast, heat, pressure, radioactivity, tidal wave, clouds, and possible local thunderstorms.

And the corps, part of the group of 500 scientists who are members of the Joint Army-Navy task force conducting the experiments, hastens to discard many ability to predict the exact effects of the phenomena on the warship targets.

If that could be done with precision, they explain, there would be no need for a test.

On the basis of what was observed in the only three previous detonations of the atom bomb—all exploded over land—and on deductions drawn from long research, the phenomenologists will make their predictions.

House rules forbid appropriations for activities not expressly authorized by separate law, and a single member may block a money item for a project not authorized.

British To Leave

PARIS, March 9. (AP)—The French foreign ministry announced today that the last British troops would leave Lebanon April 30 and that French forces would be evacuated by degrees ending April 1, 1947. Previously France and Britain had agreed to withdraw from adjoining Syria by April 30.

Marine Corps Cuts Discharge Points

WASHINGTON, March 9. (AP)—The Marine Corps will drop the critical score for all men from 42 to 40 points on Monday.

Another two-point reduction will become effective April 1 and at the same time the score for women marines will be cut from 16 to 13 points.

Winkler Discovery Flows From Holt

SAN ANGELO, March 9.—Flowing of oil at a rate of 16 barrels an hour by Texas Pacific Coal and Oil Co. No. 1 Brown and Altman, discovery from the Holt zone of the Clear Fork section of the Permian, in a new area in Winkler county, featured West Texas developments this week.

Credited unofficially with a Silurian top of approximately 7,900 feet, 200 feet higher than in Humble No. 1 Scarborough, an Ellenburger failure a short distance southwest, Shell No. 1 Nelson, Andrews county wildcat, was watched closely as it drilled past 9,597 feet, in upper Ordovician lime. It was believed near the Ellenburger. Location is the C NE SE 8-A40-psl, near the New Mexico line, elevation 3,335 feet.

Texas Pacific No. 1 Brown & Altman between the Emperor Deep and Weiner pools flowed oil at the rate of 16 barrels hourly after treating with 1,500 gallons of acid through casing perforations at 4,765 - 4,810 feet. Earlier, it swabbed oil at the rate of eight barrels an hour after washing with 500 gallons of mud acid. The well is in the C SW SW 25-B5-psl. Texas Pacific staked No. 2 Brown & Altman a quarter mile to the east.

Devonian Well Finaled
Sun No. 2 R. A. Wheeler, quarter mile south of No. 1 Wheeler, first completed Devonian producer in the triple-pay Wheeler field in eastern Winkler county, was finaled for a 24-hour flow of 264.64 barrels of oil and gas-oil ratio of 1.034-1. It had treated with 7,000 gallons of acid through casing perforations at 8,510-95 feet.

Mid-Continent No. 2 R. A. Wheeler, extending Ellenburger production at the northeast corner of the Wheeler field a quarter mile north, registered a natural daily flowing potential of 1,158.42 barrels of oil for completion from 10,549-757 in open hole. It is in the C NW SE 10-46-ls-T&P, almost on the Ector county line. Stanolind-Shell No. 1 Waddell Bros. & Co., most northwesterly Wheeler well and Silurian producer, C SE NE 13-B7-psl, pumped 103 barrels of oil, two barrels of water and 13 barrels of basic sediment in 24 hours. It had treated with 3,000 gallons of acid through

1946 Conscription To Begin In Spain

MADRID, March 9 (AP)—The Spanish army announced today the induction of the conscription class of 1946, beginning March 17. The class—estimated to consist of 150,000 boys who will be 20 years old this year—will replace the class of 1945, most of whose members received indefinite leaves toward the end of last year after completing the regulation two years of service. The classes of 1944 and 1945 now form the backbone of the Spanish army.

opener of the Landon pool, was due to recidize at 4,760-4,842 feet. It had flowed 124 barrels of oil and nine barrels of basic sediment and water in 23 hours. Location is in the northwest corner of labor 7-72-Val Verde CSL.

Texas Gulf No. 1 W. H. Collins, Terry county wildcat in section 4-K-psl, encountered salt water in drilling to 5,168 feet and was abandoned.

B. A. Duffy No. 1 Jess Stephens, Concho county wildcat in section 79-71-H&GN nine miles northeast of Eden, had a showing of oil and gas from 3,389-72 feet below salt water in the Ellenburger and drilled ahead below 3,387 feet.

Shell No. 1 Duke Wilson, southeastern Sutton county wildcat in section 38-14-TWNG, had reached 4,778 feet in chert. It had light shows of oil, or gas or both on five drillstem tests between 4,168 and 4,345 feet.

Law Enforcement School Complete

A special school for law enforcement officers held in the city hall during the past week through co-operation of the FBI was completed Friday night.

Classes were conducted each night from Monday through Friday. Instructors were J. H. Davis and Max Richardson of the Dallas FBI office and Tracy Smith, Big Spring city attorney, while J. H. Harvey of the Abilene police department assisted with demonstrations on fingerprinting.

Members of the local police force, two men from the state highway patrol, City Manager B. J. McDaniel and representatives of the sheriff's department attended classes.

The words of "Annie Laurie" were first printed in 1824 and set to music in 1835.

Tourist Cabin Fire Fought For Two Hours

HOUSTON, March 9 (AP)—Wind-whipped flames swept into a two-alarm fire that destroyed or damaged 22 tourist cabins, routing out flimsily-clad occupants at 3:30 a. m. today at the Dandy Courts, just outside the city limits.

Firemen fought two hours before conquering the blaze that destroyed

ed 18 cabins and damaged four others, at an estimated loss of more than \$20,000.

Two automobiles were destroyed and one damaged, Chief Heath said. He expressed belief that defective wiring was responsible for the blaze.

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Longshot, War Knight, Wins \$100,000 'Cap

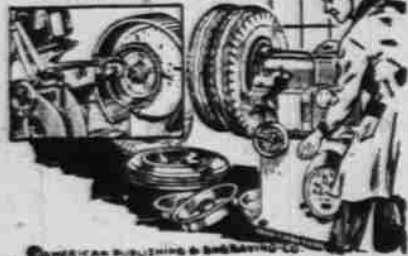
ARCADIA, Calif., March 9. (AP) — Charging into the lead in the last few strides, War Knight, 6-year old bay horse owned by Miss Ethel Hill, Hollywood scenario writer, won the \$100,000 added Santa Anita handicap today in a sensational photo finish. The time for the mile and one quarter was 2:01 3-5. Johnny Adams of Iowa, Kansas, was in the saddle.

First Fiddle, the betting choice of a record breaking crowd of 80,200, ran second. Snow Boots, leading the Rice race until the stretch run, took third and ball bond was fourth.

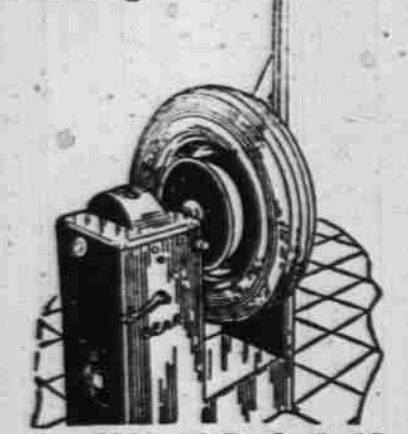
The winner, one of 11 in the field, paid \$15.30, \$5.50 and \$3.30. First Fiddle returned \$5.80 and \$3.60 and Snow Boots, \$4.00.

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O. J. Welch et ux to Joel Moore et ux, Lot 13, Blk. 1, Highland Park addition. \$6500.

Cleb. Myles to Ray Robinson, part of Sect. 31, Blk. 33, Tsp. 1-N, T & P Ry. \$4500.

J. W. Krumsholtz et ux to Roy Phillips, Lots 7, 8, 9, Blk. 36, Cole and Strayhorn add. \$1100.

In 70th District Court

Ellen Mae Nebesnak vs. Edward Nebesnak, suit for divorce.

Dora Smith vs. Cornell Smith, suit for divorce.

Lola Smith vs. Lamond Smith, suit for divorce.

Ruth Young vs. Virgil L. Young, suit for divorce.

Building Permits

Juan S. Vasquez, to build frame house at 708 NW 10th street, \$1,500.

Cecil Pixton, to move building from 302 Lancaster to 908 West Third, \$900.

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Newhouser's Eagerness To Grab
Long Green Cost Him \$14,500

LAKELAND, Fla., March 9. (AP) — Hal Newhouser, 24-year-old left-handed hurling ace of the world champion Detroit Tigers whose 54 pitching victories over two seasons

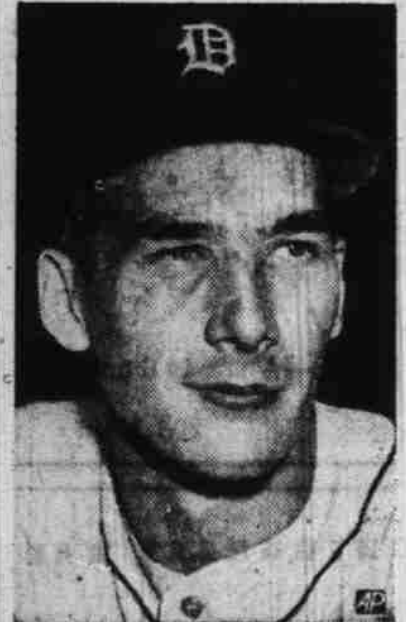
netted him a \$45,000 salary for 1946, has nearly recovered from the worst financial jolt he ever suffered.

Nearly—but not quite.

"You won't believe this, but it's true, so help me," the former Detroit sandlot star said earnestly, warming up to a story I never told before about the first money he ever earned in organized baseball.

"I was pitching Legion ball and had just come back from North Carolina where our Detroit team had played in the national championships.

"I knew that several big league scouts had seen me pitching and I



HAL NEWHOUSER

had talked to a few of them.

"I was sitting with my father on the front porch of our home in Detroit when a car pulled up in front of the house and 'Wish' Egan (head Tiger scout) and Manager Del Baker of the Tigers walked up to the porch.

"Harold, how'd you like to become a big league pitcher?" Egan asked me.

"Say, Wish, that'd really be something," I told him.

"Egan reached in his pocket and came up with five \$100 bills and an agreement for me to sign.

"I signed it—an agreement to play pro ball for Detroit—which was really something.

"Egan and Baker hadn't disappeared around the corner before a dazzling V-12 Lincoln as long as from here across the street rolled up in front of the house and two men got out and came in.

"I'm C. C. Slapnicka, vice-president of the Cleveland Indians," one of them told me.

"We want you to pitch for Cleveland, son, and we want you pretty bad.

"See that car out there? It's yours, boy, and when you sign this contract you can have this check for \$15,000."

"There I was," Newhouser finished slowly, "dying the worst death a 17-year-old kid ever died—with five \$100 bills and a pro baseball commitment in my pocket.

"So I pitched for the Tigers."

Colorado City Boy
Shows Champion

FORT WORTH, March 9. (AP) — Some 10,000 Future Farmers of America thronged the Southwest Exposition and Fat Stock show here today to celebrate their day, at the show, as judging of the boys baby beef and lamb shows began.

Awards in the baby beef judging were announced as:

Grand champion of the boys beef show, an 810-pound Hereford steer, "T-O Atomic," bred by the T-O ranch of Raton, N. M.; shown by Stuart Henderson, 15-year-old 4-H club member from Colorado City.

"Mustang Special," 880-pound Aberdeen-Angus shown by Howard C. Peslar, 15-year-old San Angelo 4-H club boy, reserve champion.

Glenn Jameson, Hamlin youth, showed a Southdown lamb to the championship of the boys lamb show at the climax to a day of judging of boys' club entries in livestock.

Monday Morning
Town & Country Time.
6:30 Bandwagon.
7:00 Your Exchange.
7:15 Round Up.
7:30 News.
7:45 Between the Lines.
8:00 News Summary.
8:05 Breakfast Club.
9:00 My True Story.
9:25 News & Betty Crocker.
9:30 Hymns of All Churches.
9:45 One Woman's Opinion.
10:00 Breakfast in Hollywood.
10:30 Home Edition.
10:45 Ted Malone.
11:00 Glamour Manor.
11:30 Vision Conservation.
11:35 Today's Top Tune.
11:40 Downtown Shopper.

Monday Afternoon
Man on the Street.
12:15 Bing Sing.
12:30 News.
12:45 Walt Time.
1:00 Cedric Foster.
1:15 Ethel & Albert.
1:30 Downtown Shopper.
1:45 Afternoon Devotionals.
2:00 Morton Downey.
2:15 Cugat Time.
2:30 Ladies Be Seated.
3:00 Erskine Johnson.
3:15 Bride & Groom.
3:45 Melody Shop.
4:00 Bandwagon.
4:15 Dick Tracy.
4:30 Tunes of Today.
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5:00 Terry & the Pirates.
5:15 TSN News.
5:30 Captain Midnight.
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Tech Wins
State AA
Cage Title

AUSTIN, March 9. (AP) — Crozier Tech of Dallas tonight won the Class AA Texas schoolboy basketball championship, defeating Jeff Davis of Houston 32-28.

Greenville's Lions defeated Amarillo 32-28 to win third place in the class AA division of the Texas schoolboy basketball tournament.

It was one notch higher than Greenville finished in 1945.

Marcus Freiburger, giant Greenville center, missed tying the tournament record for scoring by a single point. With 44 points made in his first two games, Freiburger needed 18 to break the record of 61 set in 1935 by J. D. Vinson of Hughes Springs. He ended up with 16 against Amarillo.

Greenville led all the way to beat Amarillo for the third spot, going to half-time intermission with an 18-13 margin. Amarillo threatened throughout the last half and several times was within a point of the Lions but never could draw abreast.

Pasadena's Eagles won the class A championship and next year will be around to worry the class AA contenders.

In their first and only trip to the state tournament, the Eagles defeated Levelland 50-35 in the finals to be hailed as probably the strongest quintet ever to capture the title in their division.

But next year they'll advance to class AA. There are now 20 more students enrolled in the school than the 500 limit, thus Pasadena automatically goes to the higher division.

Said coach Ned Thompson: "We could have held our own in class AA this year."

The fourth time was the pay-off for little Stratford, the team traveling the longest distance to the state schoolboy basketball tournament.

From the corner of the Panhandle, Stratford journeyed to Austin this week and made it a happy visit today by winning the Class B championship.

The tall boys of upper Texas beat Perrin, upset of favorites, 29-18 in the finals.

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Veterans Close Out Cage Season
Thursday In Game With Midland

Good Graves' VFW basketball team, which thumped the Forsan Exes here Friday night, 21-20, wind up their season's play Thursday night in a test at the local high school gymnasium with the strong Midland AAF team.

Midland recently scored a 34-21 victory over the Vets. Since then they've lost two regulars and can expect much rougher going against the Big Springers today.

Included in the Soldiers' lineup will be two players who go six feet, five inches or better. They are Charles Heeder, a 6.06 youngster who proved a thorn in the Vets' side last time out, and the six feet, five inch Ed Metzger, who collected collegiate experience at Wichita university.

Other members of the invading crew are Hugh Bilas, formerly of Wisconsin university; Jack Warwick, one-time DePaul regular; Jim Wilson, another Wichita player; and Ted Thompson, formerly of Hardin-Simmons university.

The VFW-Forsan set to win and tuck all the way but the Big Springers managed to maintain the upper hand most of the time, with Billy Womack, Tommy Elliott and Bobby Martin hitting the hoop.

Big Spring boasted a three point lead at the rest period.

Walsh Pushes
MacMitchell

NEW YORK, March 9. (AP) — Leslie MacDitchell won the Frank A. Brenk, a Columbian mile at the Knights of Columbus games in Madison Square Garden tonight, but in hanging up his seventh triumph he got the fright of his life from Ed Walsh, Manhattan's 104A mile king.

The former New York University ace had to come from behind twice to keep his unbeaten record intact, but he scored by three yards over Marcel Hansenne of France, who nosed out Tommy Quinn of the New York Athletic Club for second place.

MacDitchell toured the distance in 5:15.3, three seconds off his best performance since shedding his Navy uniform.

Ed Dugger of the Dayton (Ohio) Athletic Club, national hurdles champion, scored by inches over Lieut. Bob Wright of the Philadelphia Navy Yard in topping the 60-yard high sticks in 7.5 seconds tonight. Paul Bray Jr., of Rensselaer Poly was third.

Freddie Sickinger, national AAU 1,000 yard champion from Manhattan, took the 1,000-yard event tonight for his seventh triumph of the season.

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Phillies Overpower
Louisville, 9 To 1

FORT MYERS, Fla., March 9. (AP) — The Philadelphia Phillies of the National league opened a weekend baseball series with the Louisville Colonels of the American Association today by pounding out a 9 to 1 victory.

Phil outfielder Danny Murtaugh had a homer, a single and three walks in six trips to the plate.

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Louisville . . . 001 000 000—1 9 3
Copeland, Jones (4), Ross (7) and Spindell, Lombardi (7); Ennis, Ostrowski (4), Van Liden (7) and Lacy, Novick (6).

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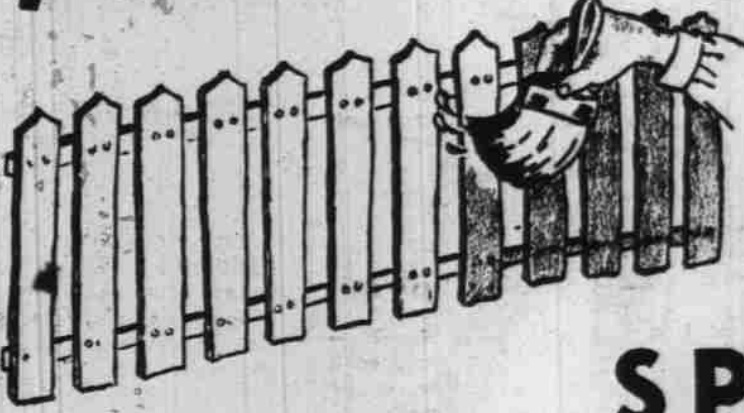


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LOOKING 'EM OVER

With ANGUS LECESTER

Four or five softball teams have already been organized and are engaged in regular workouts at the Mundy park diamond, where lights were recently installed for nocturnal play. . . . Those aggregations include Coca-Cola Bottling company, Safeway stores, Manhattan cafe and the Seven-Up Bottling company. . . . Jack Roden is skipping the Coca-Cola team and has been having Claude Ferguson toe the slab for his brigade. . . . A midgetball circuit will probably be organized here within a few weeks—when the weather has stopped playing tricks.

Jimmy Demaret, one of Texas' better golfers, may shortly hook up with Bing Crosby for a regular radio program, at the same time carry on with his tournament golf. . . . Some years back, Demaret sang a song on a Crosby program and made a decided hit. . . . Not many people know it but three players who formerly wore Big Spring livery all but led the Coleman Lamp nine of Wichita, Kansas, to a National semi-pro baseball title in 1943. . . . They are Will Ramsdell, the great little right handed pitcher; Bill Altenburg, an infielder who played under Tony Rego; and Grover Seitz, an outfielder of the '29 West Texas league team here and later manager of the Pampa Oilers of the WT-NM circuit. . . . The Coleman club went to the semi-finals of the Wichita show before losing to the Enidals of Oklahoma, 5-1. . . . Ramsdell pitched two of the five triumphs the Kansas rolled up, was charged with one of the losses. . . . He beat Fort Riley and Curtis-Wright, lost to Camp Campbell. . . . Altenburg hit .350 in the seven games Coleman played while Seitz clouted out a .375 mark. . . . Chuck Hostetter, who played with Detroit in the last World Series, was a member of the Coleman club, incidentally. . . .

The Al Valer appearing in the main event on a professional fight card in Oklahoma City next Wednesday is in reality Adolphus Quijano of El Paso who won the lightweight title in the national Golden Gloves tournament at Chicago last year but later had to relinquish the crown when it was learned he was not a simon-pure. . . . Adolphus was representing Murco Army Air Field at the time. . . . Now fighting out of Wichita, Kansas, he'll meet Buddy Shumway of Dallas. . . . Shumway turned professional recently after losing in the finals of the Texas Golden Gloves show to Preston Darnell of Fort Worth. . . . Athletic coaches of this area have been invited to attend a training clinic to be given by likeable little Frank Medina in Austin May 2 and 3, an event which will co-incide with the interscholastic league track meet. . . . Medina has been serving as head athletic trainer at the University of Texas, shortly will be licensed to practice medicine. . . . Before coming to Texas, Frank was serving in a like capacity for the "Galloping Gals" of St. Mary's college and before that worked at various jobs with Haskell Institute, Lawrence, Kansas; Arizona State college and with the West All-Stars in the annual Shrine football classic at San Francisco. . . . R. V. Thomas, the former Knott athlete and the identical twin of brother R. C., has arrived in town after a tour of duty with the Navy. When "V" became a seaman, it was the first time he had been separated from "C." . . . Bo Williams, the ex-business manager of Texas Tech athletics, is now in business in San Angelo.

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Record Turnout Looms For May 4th Classic

LOUISVILLE, Ky., March 9 (AP)—With wartime travel restrictions off for the first time in four years, preparations are being made for the largest crowd in history at the 72nd running of the Kentucky Derby May 4 at Churchill Downs.

A list of 149 nominations for the annual turf classic, including practically every star from last year's crop of two-year-olds, was announced today by Col. Matt J. Winn, Downs president.

This year's mile and one-quarter run will be the richest in history, with each owner hoping for a crack at the \$100,000 added money and the gold trophy.

High among the nominations were those named by Mrs. Elizabeth Graham's Maine Chance Farm. They include such outstanding performers as Knockdown, winner of the \$100,000 Santa Anita derby; Star Pilot, generally considered the top two-year-old of 1945 on the basis of his victories in the Belmont and Pimlico futurities; the Hopeful and Ardrey; Lord Boswell, winner in seven of his eleven starts in stakes races last year, including the Remsen and Endurance handicaps; and Colony Boy, winner of the Walden stakes.

Other nominations include such candidates as Dixiana's Spy Song, winner of the Arlington Futurity; Fred Wyse's Air Rate, victorious in all his seven starts in stakes races as a two-year-old; Calumet Farm's High Shine, Hal Price Headley's Pellicle, C. J. Stabastian's Galla Damion; Bobanet Stable's Marine Victory; John Marsh's Mighty Story; Mrs. Louise Donovan's Fighting Frank; Mrs. Vera S. Bragg's Mist O'Gold and many other hopefuls.

Fred W. Hooper is back with four candidates in an effort to repeat the Derby victory won for him last year by his Hoop Jr. Warren Wright's Calumet Farm, a Derby threat for several years, is represented by two other nominations, High Lea and In Earnest.

Half Million, Four Strikes Can't Sell Teddy On Outlaws

HAVANA, March 9 (AP)—Ted Williams, Boston Red Sox outfielder, was offered \$500,000 today by Bernardo Pasquel, brother of the Mexican baseball league president, to quit the American league club and play in the circuit south of the border.

Even before he knew how many years he would have to play to earn the half million dollars, Williams asked: "Will you give me four strikes instead of three?" Pasquel said "Yes" but Williams replied, "Well, I won't come anyhow."

BRAVES BLANK GIANTS, 7-0

FORT LAUDERDALE, Fla., March 9 (AP)—While Bill Lee and Johnny Hutchings blanked the New York Giants, the Boston Braves grounded Jack Brewer and Marvin Piousom for a 7 to 0 triumph today. Johnny McCarthy led the Boston outburst with three two-baggers.

Carden Gillenwater cleared the left field fence with a homer off Brewer in the third inning with one aboard. Boston (N) .002 110 300—7 11 0 N. Y. (N) .000 000 000—0 7 0 Lee, Hutchings (6) and Poland; Brewer, Grissom (6), Fischer (9) and Lombard.

Yankees Humble Red Birds, 5-0

ST. PETERSBURG, Fla., March 9 (AP)—Spud Chandler and Lefty Bill Wright, who had combined in pitching two six-hit victories last month in Panama, today blanked the St. Louis Cardinals with three hits as the Yankees won, 5 to 0.

Joe Gordon hit a three run homer in the ninth. New York (A) 000 000 014—5 9 1 St. Louis (N) 000 000 000—0 3 1 Chandler, Wright (6) and Silverstri; Martin, Pollet (4), Surkont (7) Schmidt (6) and Rice, Wilber (7).

Christopher Shines As A's Win, 4 To 0

WEST PALM BEACH, Fla., March 9 (AP)—The Philadelphia Athletics shut out the Brooklyn Dodgers, 4 to 0, today in an exhibition game before a crowd of 3,618.

Pitcher Russ Christopher received credit for the victory. Brooklyn (N) 000 000 000—0 4 1 Phila. (A) .100 001 024—4 9 0 Chandler, Roy (6) and Padgett; Howell (6); Christopher, Kerr (4); Fowler (7) and Rosar.

AGGIES BOOK LUKE COLLEGE STATION, March 9 (AP)—The Texas Aggies have booked the Luke Field players from Arizona for a two-game baseball series to open the home season here on Friday and Saturday March 22-23, head baseball coach Lil Dimmitt, announced today.

Happy Smokes Pipe Of Peace With Cubans



DICK SISLER

HAVANA, Cuba, March 9 (AP)—Baseball Commissioner A. B. (Happy) Chandler took personal charge of the troublesome south-of-the-border player situation today as he discussed the eligibility problem with officials of the Cuban baseball league.

Technically all players who performed in the Cuban circuit during its recently completed season are ineligible for further participation in organized baseball.

Chandler refused to predict what punishment he might hand out but said "all players from organized baseball who played against ineligible here in Cuba are subject to penalties. The extent of their penalties will depend upon my conversation with Merito Acosta, manager of the Havana club in the new Florida International league."

Dick Sisler, promising first base candidate with the St. Louis Cardinals, and second baseman Lou Klein and rookie pitcher Fred Martin, also of the Red Birds, played in the Cuban loop against such ineligible as Tomas De La Cruz, formerly of Cincinnati and Roberto Ortiz and Oliverio Ortiz of Washington. De La Cruz and the Ortiz brothers jumped organized ball to play in the Mexican league last summer.

Washington Rally Upsets Red Sox

HAVANA, Cuba, March 9 (AP)—The Washington Senators staged a six-run rally in the ninth inning today to nose out the Boston Red Sox, 10-9, in the first of their two exhibition games here, before a crowd of 15,000.

Boston (A) 000 810 000—9 10 1 Wash. (A) .200 020 006—10 15 1 Dobson, J. Wilson (4), Brown (7), Wagner (6) and Fylik; Pieretti, Appleton (4), M. Wilson (6) and Early.

DIMMITT SUCCEEDS ROLFE

COLLEGE STATION, March 9 (AP)—Lil J. Dimmitt, head baseball coach at Texas A. and M. college has received notice of his election as third vice-president of the American Association of Baseball Coaches succeeding Robert Rolfe, former coach at Yale University. He also is a member of the executive committee of that organization.

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Miss Smallwood put, together a 1446 total, beating out Miss Dozier by 13 pins.

Other early qualifiers and their scores included:

Mary Fields, 1391; Speck Fields, 1388; Nellie Mathis, 1365; Vera Dozier, 1364; Minnie Howze, 1360; Jean Nixon, 1334; Hazel Waugh, 1332; Lois Eason, 1319; and Jessie Pearl Watson, 1315.

Most of the out-of-town entries are expected to launch their respective assaults on the top prizes at 3 o'clock this afternoon. The pin-topping will probably continue far into the night with some 50 of the wood-choppers going to the firing line before the curtain rings down on the competition.

Canyon Bisons In NAIB Meet

KANSAS CITY, March 9 (AP)—A field of 32 teams, generously sprinkled with some of the country's most talented court stars, will begin their week-long squabble for the national intercollegiate basketball championship in an 8-game opening card here at noon Monday.

Drawn from twenty-one states, the National Association of Intercollegiate Basketball's (NAIB) eighth such attraction is without a pre-tournament favorite to cop the title.

Most often mentioned in connection with top honors are the Loyola University Wolves of New Orleans, 1945 champions, George Pepperdine College of Los Angeles, finalists last year, Eastern Kentucky, Southern Illinois Normal, New Mexico School of Mines, Nevada University, Eastern Washington State and Indiana State Teachers.

Elmore Morgenthaler, 7-foot 1-inch center of the New Mexico School of Mines, who led the nation's scorers after 27 games with a 21.9 average, should make his team a strong contender for the flag.

Among other highly publicized stars will be James Malone of West Texas State, an all-tournament star last year.

Ducats For Club Feast On Sale

Tickets for the banquet honoring the coach and members of the Big Spring high school basketball team, being staged by the Kiwanis club at 8 o'clock Thursday night in the Settles hotel, are available to the public at \$1 each.

Bob Stripling, who'll act as toastmaster, is head of the sales campaign. Ducats may be obtained from members of the club or at the Chamber of Commerce offices. The program, as being lined up by a special committee, will feature music by local artists.

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DISTRICT 19-B TRACK MEET TO BE HELD HERE MARCH 30

Representatives of seven District 19-B schools convened at the court house Saturday afternoon to work out arrangements for the league's annual track and field meet, which will be held at Steer stadium Saturday, March 30.

L. G. Hambrick, Stanton, was named director general of the tournament and will be assisted by M. H. Turner, appointed athletic director.

The junior track and field meet and the junior softball tournament will be run in conjunction with the all-day show.

District volleyball ball tournament for both boys and girls will be staged here April 19.

Schools which will send teams to the district meet are Stanton, Sterling City, Courtney, Forsan, Garden City, Knott and Coahoma.

Steer Tracksters Pass Up Fort Worth Meeting

Coach Stockton Training Sights On Local Relays

The Big Spring high school track and field squad, which has been working out for several weeks, will pass up the Southwestern Exposition meet at Fort Worth next weekend and concentrate on the task of rounding into shape for the Big Spring Relays, Coach Herschel Stockton has announced.

The local thingy clads have been coming around slowly and will need a couple of weeks to round into top shape, according to athletic director John Dibrill.

A score of teams from West Texas schools are expected to be on hand for the Relays, a one day event started a year ago. At that time, 14 contingents showed up to compete for the prizes.

Gold medals will go to first place winners this year, silver trophies to second place winners, bronze awards to "show" finishers and ribbons to fourth place winners.

In addition, the high point man of the meet will be awarded a silver miniature track show while champion and runnerup team will gain appropriate trophies.

The awards are being furnished by the sponsoring organization, the Big Spring Athletic association.

Fourteen events will comprise the program with preliminaries due at 2 p. m. and finals scheduled for 8 p. m.

Ambitious Feller

CLEARWATER, Fla., March 9 (AP)—Bob Feller still is trying to improve himself.

"I'm trying to develop a variety of deliveries so the hitter won't be able to start timing his swing with my windup but mainly I'm working on control," the Cleveland Indians' hurling ace explained today.

Cosden's poloists of Big Spring, who combined their talents to sweep a doubleheader from the Abilene All-Stars last weekend, invade Morton for an exhibition this afternoon.

Dr. M. H. Bennett will see action along with Rip Smith, Tom Matthews and Lloyd Taylor, the latter from New York City.

The opposition is being formed by members of New Mexico Military Institute's crack quartet, which annually boasts one of the best teams in the Southwest.

The game is a part of an American Legion celebration being observed in the Panhandle city. Kickoff time is 2 o'clock.

Fems In Volley Ball Tourney March 15-16

With Odessa, Knott, Coahoma, Garden City and Ackerly already committed to attend teams, a large field is in prospect for the Big Spring girls' invitational volleyball tournament, scheduled to be unreeled in the local high school gymnasium Friday and Saturday, March 15-16.

Sterling City, which has already beaten the local girls' club twice, is expected to be formally entered the first part of the coming week.

Preliminaries will be played Friday night and Saturday morning with championship finals due at 8 o'clock Saturday night.

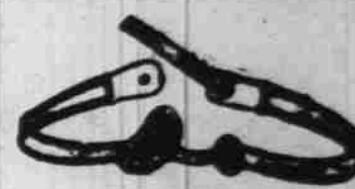
Trophies will go to championship, runnerup and consolation winners.

Arah Phillips' local contingent, improving by leaps and bounds, play their final warmup game here Tuesday night, meeting the strong Odessa club. The Odessans recently walloped Midland, which in turn nosed out Big Spring.

Sharing interest with the volleyball game Tuesday will be a basketball game between Anna Smith's Eighth grade quintet and the Stanton junior club.

TALBERT LICKS FISHBACK

NEW YORK, March 9 (AP)—In a dramatic finish that saw him whip over two service aces for set and match points, top seeded William Talbert, of Wilmington, Del., beat New York's Joe Fishback, 6-4, 6-4 today in the national indoor tennis championships.



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Bevin Not To Attend

LONDON, March 9. (AP)—A foreign office spokesman said today there was "no indication" that Foreign Secretary Ernest Bevin would attend the United Nations Security Council meeting in New York March 21.

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Dutch Battalions Arrive In Batavia

BATAVIA, March 9. (AP)—Three battalions of Dutch troops, totaling approximately 2,400 men, arrived here today and an official statement said they "have come with the object of taking over from the British and Indian troops when they eventually leave."

The troops, trained in England, arrived at Batavia in British ships and were billeted in a transient camp. They had been stationed in Malaya for several months.

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Mass Home-Builder Turns Out Costly Modern Structure

LOS ANGELES, March 9. (AP)—Fritz Burns, head man of Henry Kaiser's mass home-building venture, who opened his own "post-war house" to the public this week, disclosed today that the two-bedroom home had cost him \$175,000.

The one-story, U-shaped, stone and plywood structure is equipped with all the electronic and mechanical gadgets a housewife could want: "packaged unit" bathrooms and kitchens, die-stamped out of metal for mass-production; a fully automatic laundry that tosses clothes out ready to iron; dust-precipitating air conditioning, and even a revolutionary germ-killing lighting system.

"In the first place," Burns said, "the lot (on fashionable Wilshire Boulevard) cost \$75,000. The rest was eaten up in research and experimentation. We became perfectionists and asked manufacturers to make things they never made before. Our only consolation is that we know more about building postwar houses than anyone else."

When Burns, a wealthy, 46-year-old contractor, started building the house a year ago he had no idea he ever would become associated with Henry Kaiser. He planned to use the model home to exploit his own business.

But now, as president of Kaiser Community Homes, Inc., he's too busy planning to turn out homes by the thousands to worry much longer about his "headache house."

"I'm not sorry I built it, but our job now is to turn out good houses as fast as we can to relieve the nation's need," he said.

Partial insurance protection is now available on cotton crops under a new plan announced by the Federal Crop Insurance Corporation. This is in addition to the regular coverage already available. The new co-insurance plan is designed to make it possible for producers to insure even though they do not want to carry in full either the 50 per cent or the 75 per cent coverages. Now they can take out partial protection of 60, 70, 80, or 90 per cent of either the 50 or 75 per cent insurance coverage.

Here's how the new plan works, according to Donald L. Cothran, state crop insurance director: If insured percentage is 75 per cent of the average yield, and the producer elects to obtain 60 per cent partial protection, the premium will be 60 per cent of that determined for 75 per cent insurance. Then any indemnity payable will be 60 per cent of the average yield, and the producer elects to obtain

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Farm And Ranch News

By WACIL McNAIR

Plowing is underway on most farms now, but the top moisture is far from satisfactory. Most sections have a fair season below, the winter rains and snows just didn't provide as much as farmers hoped for. Small areas in the immediate Big Spring vicinity received a quarter of an inch or more Tuesday morning, but it was purely local and fell so rapidly that the ground absorbed little.

With all the talk circulating about overstock ranges and pasture estimates are recalled which indicate that in a normal year West Texas native grasses are capable of supporting cattle at the rate of not more than a single head to each 20 acres. Making the picture still darker, however, are reports from the soil conservation service which show that native grass growth is steadily becoming depleted. That is the reason for the numerous experiments with small grains and legumes. If new vegetation can be introduced in quantity enough to lower substantially the acreage necessary for livestock support one of the greatest needs of the stock raising industry here will be filled.

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Surplus aircraft preheaters once used by the armed forces to take the chill off plane engines and cabins before taking off may end up on the farm if experiments to be undertaken by agricultural experimental stations prove successful. The War Assets Corporation is supplying 17 of the preheaters to federal and state agricultural experiment stations through the Department of Agriculture to explore feasibility of their use in the quick drying of hay, grains and other crops. In the experiments the surplus preheaters will be used to supply a current of warm air through the crops. Agricultural officials believe that this method of drying, in the case of hay, for instance, will mean not only the prevention of deterioration but will improve its grade and give it a higher nutritional value.

Naval Budget Allows For \$4,600,000,000

WASHINGTON, March 9. (AP)—The navy may spend \$4,600,000,000 during the fiscal year beginning July 1 if congress approves a recommendation by President Truman.

The proposed budget would provide for 600,000 navy and marine enlisted men and approximately 60,000 officers.

As outlined by the president in a message to congress yesterday it also would allow \$275,000,000 for new planes, for 1946 delivery, and \$227,000,000 for research.

The navy budget for the current fiscal year, after post V-J cutbacks, is \$12,500,000,000. For last year it was \$25,500,000,000.

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Cosden Chatter

Nell Rhea McCrary was out of the office the first part of the week due to illness. She underwent minor surgery at the Big Spring hospital Monday.

The Cosden polo team won both of their games in Abilene last weekend in spite of the sandstorm Sunday, with scores of 6-8 Saturday and 12-3 Sunday.

John E. Brown who has recently received his discharge from the Army, resumed his work in the laboratory Wednesday.

The stork made a visit in the John F. Collins home in Fort Worth, February 14, 1946 and made them the gift of 7 lb. 6 3/4 oz. John Franklin Collins, Jr. Mr. Collins was our former chief accountant.

Frank H. Stasey who plays professional baseball with the Minneapolis Millers is leaving tomorrow for Bay St. Louis, Mississippi, where he will get his spring training.

Mose Cummins, who has been ill several weeks, returned to work the first part of last week. Averill McClain has been out of the office the past week due to illness.

George Holden has been taken home from the hospital and is recovering satisfactorily since undergoing surgery.

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Thompson are the proud parents of 8 lb. 12 oz. Joseph Rankin who was a week old yesterday.

R. L. Tollett returned from Oklahoma City and St. Louis Thursday morning. He is leaving today for Washington to attend a meeting of National Refiners' Advisory committee.

Marvin M. Miller returned to Big Spring Friday after a two week's trip in the Midwest on company business.

Three Divorces Given In District Court

Divorces were granted in three suits heard in district court proceedings Saturday.

They involved P. R. Bishop vs. Jewell Bishop, Lawrence Smith vs. Odella Smith and La Pearl Buchanan vs. Felix G. Buchanan.

Ballots In Mail For Y Directors

Ballots have gone into the mail to 415 members of the YMCA, asking prompt response in the first annual election of directors.

The ballot contains 34 nominees with 27 to be selected in the voting. Officials have requested return of the votes before March 15 (Friday), date for counting the ballots.

One of the reasons for the short voting period is that YMCA officials hope to have the new board installed and officers elected by March 18, when Don Newton, Dallas, regional field representative of YMCA, comes here for a three-day conference with the Big Spring institution. Newton spent much time here early in December when initial plans for starting the movement in Big Spring were developed.

A nomination committee headed by Dr. R. B. G. Cowper selected a list of nominees from which members will select directors. Any member has the option of writing in preferences not on the ballot.

Bill Dawes, YMCA executive secretary, was assisted in preparation of the ballots by Charlene Tucker, Mabel Smith, Frances Phillips and Alphonse Page.

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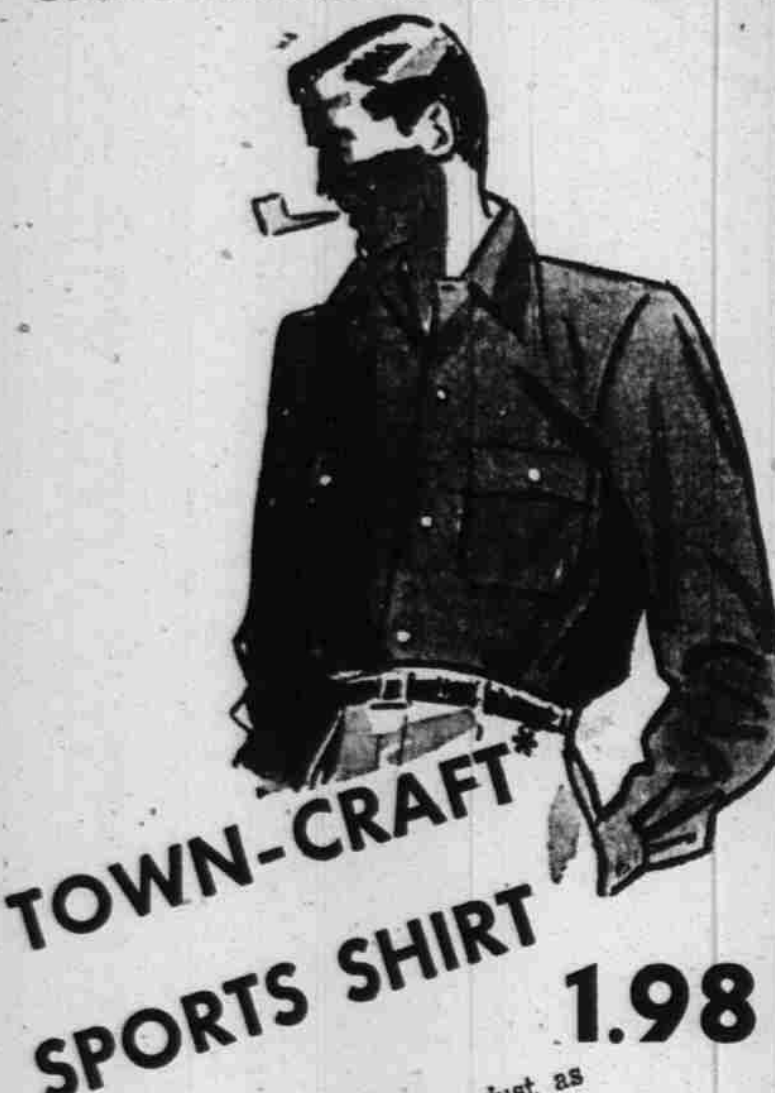
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ROOMS and board; family style meals; hot breakfast; come and make your stay at home; on bus line, 418 Dallas, 1st street in Edwards Heights.

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FARM for rent with sale of John Deere motor & tractor; Oliver combine; 3 cows; 2 calves; new John Deere feed mill; 2000 bushels feed; 50 chickens. J. W. Lindsey, 14 1/2 miles N.W. Big Spring.

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Wanted To Rent

Houses

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"King of Kings," for a number of years a popular movie, will be shown at the First Methodist church Sunday evening. The two hour movie will begin at 7 p. m. and will last for two hours.

TO BRING WIFE HOME

HILLSBORO, March 9 (AP) — Ernest B. Manning, Covington, Hill county, has made application to immigration authorities in Washington, D. C., for permission to bring his fiancée, Miss Phyllis Matlock of Brick Lane Parham, near Suffolk, England, to Texas.

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BATAVIA, Java., March 9. (AP) — The Dutch news agency Aneta said today that Netherlands troops would replace all British and British Indian troops in Java in the next few months. The decision to effect this shift, Aneta said, was made at the "highest level" of the Allied command.

Brotherhood To Meet

Brotherhood of the First Methodist church will hold its second regular monthly meeting Monday at 7 p. m. in the church basement. The laymen's organization was organized early in February with the avowed purpose of meeting once each month.



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Shivers Announces For Political Post

PORT ARTHUR, March 9. (AP) — State Senator Allan Shivers announced today that he would be a candidate for lieutenant-governor in the Democratic primary in July.

Shivers, 38, is married and is the father of two children. He was born in Lufkin, reared in Woodville, and for the past 20 years has lived here. Shivers, although exempt from military service, volunteered and served two years with the Army in Africa, Italy, France and Germany.

His announcement set forth that during his service in the Texas Senate, Shivers has favored legislative redistricting and an adequate highway program especially in regard to farm to market roads. During the last session he sponsored an act designed to protect highway funds from diversion to other uses.

"Vet Village" Named

DENTON, March 9 (AP) — "Vet Village" has been selected as the name of the group of 50 college hutments for veterans at North Texas State college according to Dr. Clarence L. Schloemer, village proctor and professor of biology at the college.

Mrs. Lesley Allen Shower Honoree

Mrs. R. V. Foresyth and Mrs. Tom Amerson were hostesses at a bridal shower given Friday for Mrs. Lesley Allen of O'Donnell. The honoree was the former Mary Jo Bradley before her marriage in February.

Refreshments were served buffet style.

Those attending were Mrs. H. Reeves, Mrs. Paul Bradley, Doris Taylor, Mrs. H. L. Cherry, Mrs. H. L. Munn, Mrs. W. C. Terry, Mrs. Jim Harper, Mrs. H. W. Merrill, Mrs. Paul Harper, Mrs. W. E. Harper, Mrs. J. L. Bradley, Mrs. M. E. Byerly, Jr., Mrs. J. W. Bryant.

Mrs. M. O. Hamby, Mrs. John Whitaker, Mrs. W. A. Prescott, Mrs. Ray Phillips, Marguerite Wood, Mary Allen, Mrs. Carl McDonald, Mrs. Nannie Scott, Mrs. W. W. Clifton, Mrs. John Horner, Mrs. Raymond Hamby, Ethel Grant, Mrs. Vira Millholland, Mrs. Billy Digby, Mrs. Tommy Stevens, Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Digby, Mrs. B. Walker, Mrs. Irene Myrick, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Harper and Mrs. Bob Wren.

Most insects never know their parents, and never see their offspring.

Week's Business

Building Total Gains By Three New Contracts

Building permits took a sharp upward turn toward the last of the week after a slow start. The six-day total of \$85,725 is more than half of the February figure, which was the heaviest month of the winter season. Three large commercial construction projects accounted for \$77,500 of the past week's aggregate, and permits were issued for all three of them Saturday morning.

Topping the list is a \$40,000 clinic-nurses home being erected by Drs. Bennett-Thomas-Strauss at 810 Goliad near their Big Spring Hospital. The building will be constructed of Cordova Shell limestone. Floor dimensions of the two-story structure will be 30' x 70'. On the first floor will be four offices and treatment rooms, laboratory and recovery rooms. The second floor will provide quarters for 11 nurses. Plans and specifications were drawn by Puckett and Cantrell, architects, and contract has been let to Suggs Construction Company.

Suggs also has a contract to build a theater building for Big Spring Theaters, Inc., at an estimated cost of \$25,000. The building will be of steel construction and located at 309 NW Fourth street.

Western States Theaters, Inc., have secured a permit to rebuild at the site of the Texan theatre on East Third, which was burned in February. Plans have been prepared by Puckett and Cantrell, and estimated cost is \$12,500.

Warranty deeds filed were also considerably higher than the previous week. Forty-two were recorded in the county clerk's office for a total of \$122,212.

Tract Purchased For Lumber Yard

Transfer of property at Fifth and Nolan streets as the location of a new lumber and building materials yard in Big Spring was reported this past week to The Herald.

Purchase of the tract was made by the Langley-Hall Lumber company, it was announced, a firm composed of J. T. Langley of Big Spring and E. H. Hall of Lockhart, who is moving here.

It is planned to start work on the yard immediately. The new concern will be able to stock a sizeable line of materials, it was said, from established supply sources.

NEW DELHI, March 9. (AP) — Two college students were wounded today when police fired on fighting Moslem and Hindu students in Lahore. There were no reports of fatalities.

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Water Wells May Be Drilled Near O'Barr Site

Although present sources appear adequate now, new water wells may be drilled by the city during the year if necessary materials can be obtained, City Manager B. J. McDaniel has announced.

A new field already has been located between Big Spring and the O'Barr field in Glascock county, and indications are that it will supply 1,000,000 gallons per day. The water there comes from a formation similar to that in the O'Barr field and is situated near the present pipelines to the O'Barr wells.

If developments materialize as expected the city's combined supply from all sources will be increased to a maximum of 5,300,000 gallons per day.

Average consumption for the first week in March was 1,400,000 gallons per day, McDaniel said. This figure is expected to increase substantially, however, as summer approaches.

Throughout the winter months the entire supply has been drawn from the two lakes. Present level of Powell lake is 16 feet, while Moss Creek stands at 32 feet. The O'Barr field has been utilized only three days since summer and section 33, section 17 and city park wells have not been required, by permitting it to stand unused during the winter, section 53 alone will hold sufficient supply to pump 500,000 gallons per day continuously during the summer, McDaniel said. The "sink" there is full at present.

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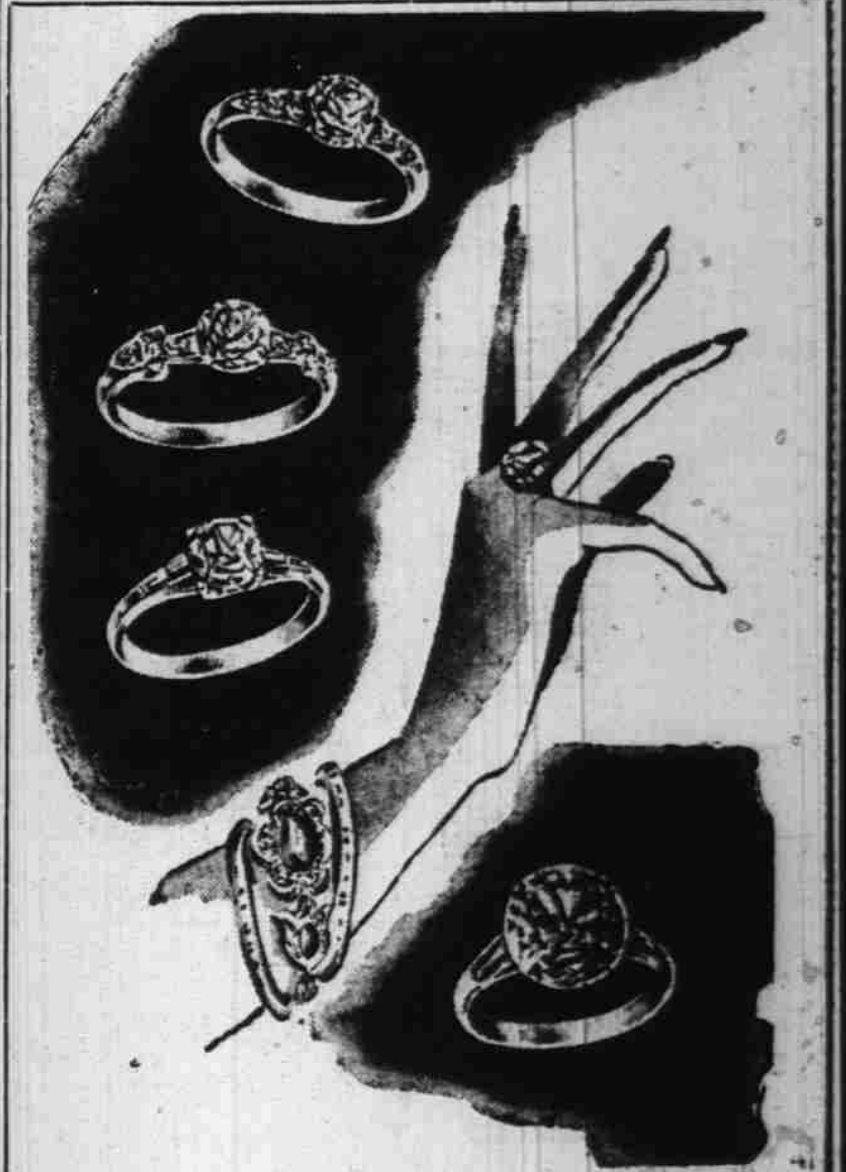
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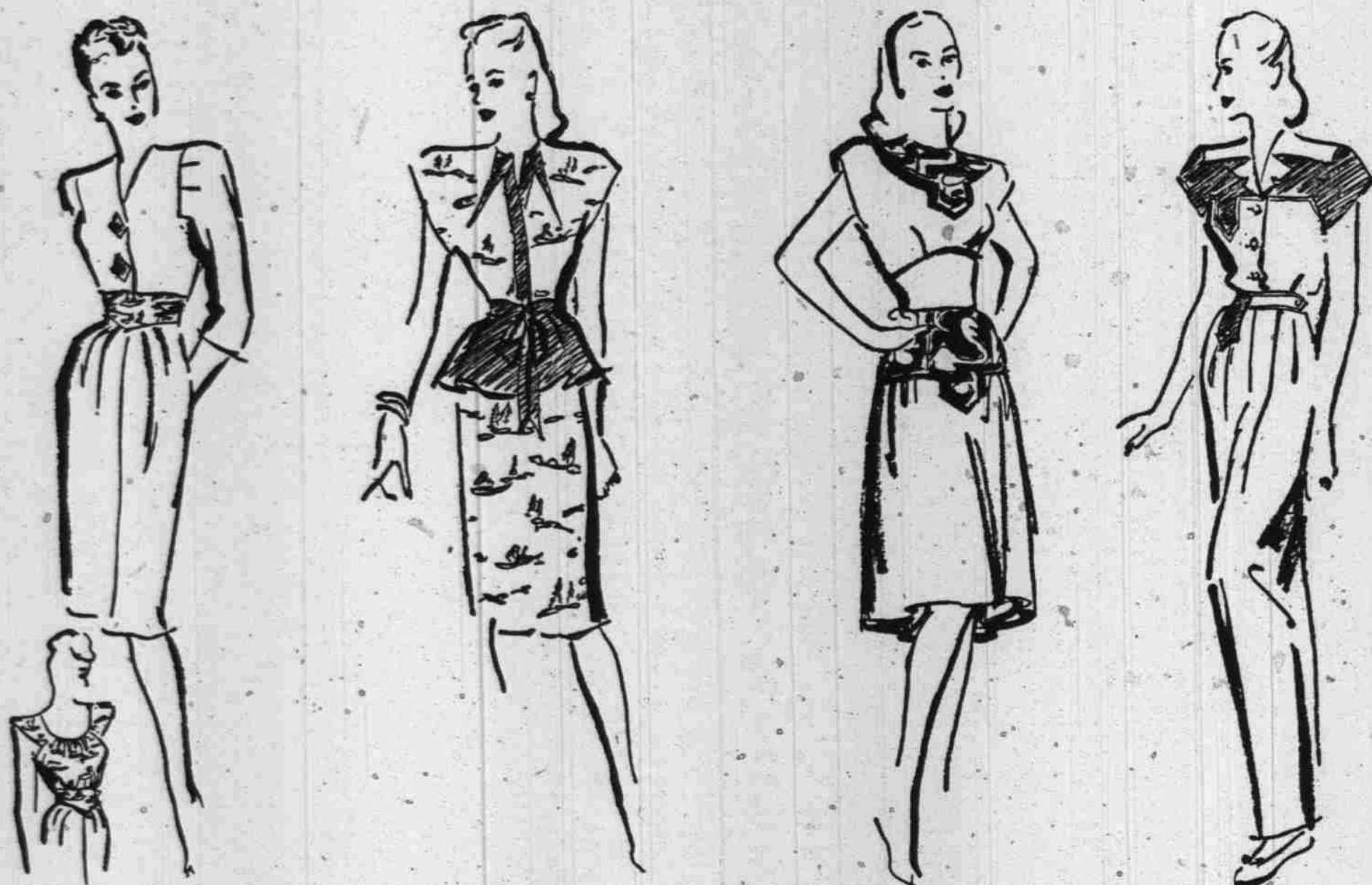
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SECTION II



FOR SPRING, 1946—Sports clothes for this spring combined contrasting colors to provide interest not only to the game, but also to the player. Mrs. T. A. Harris Jr., left, wears a midriff costume of beige raw silk slacks with a top of calomel pink silk combined with the beige of the trousers. For spectator sports Mrs. Harold Hall models a sports costume of black linen with wide bands of red at the hem and on the cap sleeves. Large buttons are tied on with strips of the red material. Mrs. Oliver Goodman, right picture, shows a formal of misty black marquisette in the skirt with a basque waist of figured silk jersey. (All Photos by Jack Haynes).

Gray, With Contrast, Gets A Strong Play

Dove gray, slate gray, blue gray—all are popular this season for suits and both dressy afternoon frocks and smart play clothes.

The gray, however, is touched up with bright, outstanding colors, in accents of bright red, approaching the tangerine shade, or perhaps a yellow, either mustard or in the new banana color. Gray makes a good neutral background for all jewel colors, and many suits are being cut from gray gabardines, twills, flannels and novelty weaves. Black always has been and still is popular for spring and can be

toned up with glistening white trim and accessories, or accented with a bright color.

Beige and brown maintain their position in spring costumes, as well as the one they always take in fall styles. But the really new thing in spring colors is the muted "high" colors. These can be used either as an accent or the basis for the entire spring costume.

Panama City, founded in 1519, is the oldest permanent European settlement on the mainland of the American continent.

Accessories Follow Trend Of Gay Color

Since the more popular basic colors for this spring, such as gray, black and beige Dame Fashion has decreed that the accessories be definitely on the gay and colorful side—and as Dame F. decrees, the American woman does.

This spring hats are colorful and highly decorated, some to the point men call "crack pot," but they are wonderful for a female's ego so the more complicated the better.

The spring profile in bonnets has things like "salad bowl," "paper bag," "bowler," for their names. Milan straw is used for many of the tailored numbers, and the rough straws are frequently piled high with garlands of flowers, large and small, bright of neutral. Definitely adopted as a part of milady's accessories wardrobe is the band of ribbon fastened around and under the hair. The spring ribbons are embroidered with sequin designs and with metal and jeweled ornaments.

Gloves vary in length, ranging from the "shortie" to the long model which may be either tight-fitting or more in the loose, buccanier fashion. The fabric used may be either sleek or rough leathers and many are of jersey for graceful fit. The colors repeat those found in millinery and very popular are the off shades of yellow, fuchsia, aqua and green.

Boxy handbags are made of the new plastics, reptile and patent leather. They come in a variety of colors, and can be found either in tailored effects or with gathered material. The brighter colors are found in fabric bags or those made of raffia and other straw material. There are tailored envelope shades which continue in popularity as they have for seasons past.

Named Manager

DALLAS, March 9 (AP)—Tom R. Rayburn, nephew of Speaker Sam Rayburn, has been named manager of the Dallas regional office of the Veterans Administration serving 103 North and West Texas counties. Col. T. G. Laphier, deputy administrator, has announced.

Wartime Informality Continued—

1946 Modes Are More Adaptable

The war is over, but clothes discovered made during war years have not yet died out. They were too nice! The ladies just will not give them up.

For instance, there was the practice of going so many places

in informal dress. By informal the designers do not mean necessarily that the correct dress for the opera is a gingham house dress, nor do they recommend that one attend a musical tea in a pair of slacks, but they do mean that the ladies

relish the idea of wearing short skirts, rather than try to trail around in a long dust catching model.

To be sure, the ladies regret that they cannot wear their long attire because of the ultra sophis-

ticated feel one gets from silk swishing at one's toes. However, the 1946 lady is again compensated with that dressy creation which became so popular during the past four years—the cocktail gown, or the afternoon frock.

The fact that the dresses are short does not mean that they are not as gay and flattering as formal length gowns. They are formed of interesting fabrics, and are quite frequently embroidered with sequins, rhinestones and brightly tinted beads, done in ornate design. With these are equally giddy accessories with cocky hats and interesting handbags.

For the less dressy affairs suits will always be good, and they can go even more places now because

of their adaptability. They can be dressed up for the theatre or bridge, or dressed down for spectator sports or shopping.

Again this spring the cardigan neckline is effectively used, many models with intricate cutting and stitching to lend interest to the costume. Here to stay, for another season at least, is the wing sleeve. This style is used as a decorative note quite frequently, attained, if the suit is of striped material, by diagonal or contrasting cutting of the piece. Some suits feature the sleeve in another shade, or if the body of the suit is plain, the sleeve might be of a matching tweed or in a striped effect.

Back for a return engagement, one of its many through the fashion years, is the bolero. The majority of this type is definitely tailored, many imitate the lines of the busboy's coat. But a few are not unlike those worn by the swankier bellhops, with their braid and brass buttons.

Manufacturers are still tormented by fabric shortages, so skirt lines will be straight and slim for another season. Kick-pleats over each knee are appearing in suit skirts, but the standby continues to be the simple six-gored effect.

On the whole Spring, 1946, will be one of sleek, rather sophisticated styles, and the well-dressed lady must also be smoothly groomed.

Smooth—that's the word for 1946.

LETTER BRINGS HOME THE BACON

HASTINGS, Neb., March 9 (AP) Mrs. C. C. Harrison of Los Angeles, who says her family's supply of bacon in the last three years was two pounds, is going to get a surprise package from Hastings—10 pounds of bacon.

Mrs. Harrison had written Butcher Karl Kauf and asked if she could purchase the 10 pounds of bacon one of Kauf's customers had rejected. The customer, who during the war would joshingly order 10 pounds of bacon, recently had his order accepted by Kauf, but he turned it down.

Kauf said he sent the slab to Mrs. Harrison as a gift.

WASTE PAPER IS VALUABLE STUFF

ROCKFORD, Ill., March 9 (AP) After Mrs. C. E. Haines tossed a piece of facial tissue into the chute to her apartment house incinerator she remembered: her diamond-pearl ring, which she valued at \$1,500, was wrapped in the paper.

She summoned the fire department; she called for the janitor.

Firemen worked two hours removing debris from the incinerator; Janitor F. A. Dobson then took up the search and four hours later found the ring among the debris. He was rewarded.

McMurry Begins Work On New Dorm

ABILENE, March 9 (AP)—McMurry college this week broke ground for a \$200,000 men's dormitory, the third major building project to be undertaken at the school since last November.

Under construction are a \$175,000 addition to a women's dormitory and a \$75,000 dining hall.

President Harold G. Cooke of the college announced Thursday a gift of \$27,500 from Mrs. E. W. Estes and family of Monahans toward the men's building.

SPRING FESTIVITIES—For activities which come with spring the right clothes make spring weather even fairer. Left to right: Mrs. Escot Compton and Elnora Hubbard display the dresser suits which play such an important part in the busy woman's life. Mrs. Compton's costume comprises a gray gabardine ensemble of belted style with full sleeves, with which she has accessories of red for contrast. Miss Hubbard wears a suit of shadow blue with a faint pink stripe seen in the fabric of the sleeves. The simple cut of the suit is livened up with a gold chatelaine extending from the shoulder to the sleeve. Her accessories are black. For more formal functions Luan Weir and Betty Lou McGinnis select cocktail frocks of dressier suits. Miss Weir models a dress of black and white checked taffeta, designed with a peek-a-boo neckline and a smart shoulder line outlined with white eyelet. Miss McGinnis chooses a frock of black alpaca which gets its air of gaiety through bows of black taffeta at the shoulder and waist. (All Photos by Jack Haynes).

Glitter In New Costume Jewelry Enough To Make A Queen Envious

If Isabella could see the jewelry the ladies of America are now wearing she would have no regrets over calling her jeweled pieces to make Columbus' discovery possible.

The costume jewelry counters are slowly being filled with post-war wares which would make even a queen envious. The new costume pieces have all the glitter of the real thing, yet American women are able to have several pieces to give variety to their wardrobe.

With the release of manpower, artisans skilled in designing and working with semi-precious and simulated stones and metals, the costume pieces are becoming more realistic, more glittering and generally more expensive looking.

The art of using multiple pieces has been appreciated and more and more of the pins come in series of two or three. The multiple pieces can be worn in many different positions, ranging from the more conservative placing on the shoulder, to more fly-away places on the shoulder, the forearm of the sleeve or perhaps at the waist on the belt or a low placed pocket.

San Antonio Board Rejects Construction

SAN ANTONIO, March 9 (AP)—The San Antonio housing authority board has refused a contract offered by the Federal Housing Authority to construct 445 family dwelling units here for war veterans.

The board refused the contract because it did not completely outline the types of buildings involved nor give rent schedule for the proposed project.

the belt or a low placed pocket.

A revival from the 90's era is the chatelaine which is versatile in its uses. The chain-like pins can be worn to extend from one side of the neckline to the other for cardigan jackets, or one pin could be attached to the shoulder and extended around to the sleeve. Some women, especially the long, lithe ones, can successfully use the jewelry piece at the waistline.

Chokers of snake chain or heavy metal links match bracelets, many of which have charms of various shapes and with different types of engravings.

Earrings are large and be-

jeweled, and novelty designs correspond with those of the pins.

Simple clothes this spring are set off by interesting, sometimes fabulous, jewelry pieces.

Now You Can Paint Your Gloves On

NEW YORK (AP)—A new chemical glove, that is merely smeared over the hands and forearms, is described in the Review of Scientific Instruments.

The glove is a special protective cream, with some unusual properties. A thin film affords protection for several hours against strong chemicals that might be poisonous to the skin. The glove is said not to be noticeable and sheds water, although water is used to wash it off.

HOLIDAY

LOS ANGELES, March 9 (AP) Mrs. John A. Goodwin, reference librarian for 23 years at the University of California at Los Angeles, has retired. "What's she going to do now?" "Catch up on my reading," she announced.

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'Lost Weekend' Gets All Academy Honors



ADVICE GIVERS—Jane Wyman and Phillip Terry sympathetically try to help her fiancé and brother, Ray Milland, to overcome his chronic alcoholism in "The Lost Weekend." The highly-praised film will play today and tomorrow at the Ritz theatre.

On the heels of announcement that the picture had made a phenomenal sweep of Motion Picture Academy Awards for 1945, the revolutionary "The Lost Weekend" headlines the Ritz theatre program for today and Monday.

Ray Milland, star of the picture, was given his "Oscar" at the Academy banquet in Hollywood Thursday night, for the best male portrayal in movies of the past year. His characterization of the pitiful alcoholic was acclaimed with a unanimity seldom before accorded film players.

In addition, "The Lost Weekend" was declared the top motion picture of the year; its director, Billy Wilder, was honored for the best directorial achievement of the year; and Wilder and Charles Brackett shared honors for the best-written screen play of the year.

Jane Wyman while Phillip Terry, Howard de Silva and Doris Bowling head an exceptionally competent cast.

"The Lost Weekend," adapted from Charles Jackson's famous best-seller of the same name, is the story of five excruciating days and nights in the life of Don Birnam, a young man who can no longer call his soul his own. Though sensitive, intelligent and irresistibly charming, chronic alcoholism breaks his spirit by slow, tortuous degrees. Director Billy Wilder has made this terrifying journey into horror an unforgettable theatrical experience. Producer Charles Brackett has created a picture that, for its integrity and realism, has never been equalled. The photography by John Selitz is also daringly original.

For those who thought of Ray Milland as a very handsome man with a flair for drawing room comedy, here is something to knock the pins from under them. His performance is nothing short of remarkable. Don Birnam emerges as one of the most vivid characterizations ever filmed. Milland, the handsome lover of the screen, is now also Milland, the actor.

Also worthy of high praise is lovely Jane Wyman who, until now, has mostly been associated with frothy entertainment. She turns in a truly splendid performance as the young woman whose devotion to Milland is unwavering. Milland's brother in the film is played by Phillip Terry, who carries off the part unusually well. The dark brunette beauty, Doris Bowling, is an up-and-coming screen siren movie-goers will see more and more of in the future.



SURROUNDED: A bevy of Texas beauties consult Lawrence Carra, director of Texas Players. All the girls are members of the unique Texas professional drama company which will present the suspense thriller "Kind Lady" on the stage of the City Auditorium here March 21. Reading clockwise, the girls are Erin Kameron, of Houston; Fae Johnson, Dallas; Mildred Cook, Abilene; Ann Thompson, San Antonio; Mildred Woolley, Clarksville; Olive Lockart, Austin; and Virginia Lipscomb, Terrell. Tickets for the play, priced at \$1.50 and 74c, go on sale today at the Ritz Theater.

State Comedy, 'Over 21' Gay, Sparkling Feature

Sidney Buchanan's gift for cracking comedy is emphasized in his latest production, "Over 21," opening today at the State Theatre for a two-day run.

An adaptation of Ruth Gordon's stage play for which Buchanan himself supplied the script, it's full of laughs from start to finish. The cast, headed by Irene Dunne, Alexander Knox and Charles Coburn, apparently had as much fun in the filming of the picture as the audience will seeing it.

In his first appearance since "Wilson," Knox distinguishes himself in an entirely different type of role. The editor of a liberal metropolitan newspaper, he resigns his position and enlists in the Army. Two major fears harass him thereafter: that he will not, because of his age, be able to graduate from Officer Candidate School, and that the paper, in his absence, will fail.

The publisher shares the latter



PLEASANT COMPANY—Irene Dunne and Alexander Knox play roles of a Hollywood scenarist and her editor husband who enlists in the army and concerns their efforts to get him through Officer Candidate School. The feature is "Over 21" and it's showing at the State Theatre today and tomorrow.

view a welcome contrast to the comedy, and do not detract from the mood of the whole.

The Weeks Playbill

RITZ

Sun.-Mon.—"The Lost Weekend," with Ray Milland, Jane Wyman, Tuesday.—"Uncle Harry," with George Sanders, Ella Raines. Thurs.-Fri.-Sat.—"Abilene Town," with Randolph Scott, Ann Dvorak.

LYRIC

Sun.-Mon.—"Stork Club," with Betty Hutton, B. Fitzgerald. Tues.-Wed.—"What Next Corporal Hargrove," with Robert Walker, Jean Porter.

Thurs.—"Senorita From The West," with Bonita Granville, Allan Jones. Fri.-Sat.—"Border Bandits," with Johnnie Mack Brown.

QUEEN

Sun.—Spanish language show. Mon.-Tues.—"This Is The Army," with all-star cast.

Wed.—"Silver Stallion," with Chief Thunder Cloud; and "Trisco Sal," with Adele Mara. Thurs.—"Mexicans," with Tito Guizar; and "Trigger Smith," with Jack Randall.

Fri.-Sat.—"Under Fiesta Stars," with Gene Autry.

STATE

Sun.-Mon.—"Over 21," with Irene Dunne, Alexander Knox. Tues.-Wed.—"This Is The Life," with Donald O'Connor, Susanna Foster; and "White Pongo," with Richard Fraser.

Thurs.—"Pan Americans," with Phillip Terry, Eve Arden. Fri.-Sat.—"Both Barrels Blazing," with Charles Starrett; and "South of Dixie," with David Bruce, Anne Gwynne.

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Reserved seats for the stage production, "Kind Lady," first presentation of the newly-organized Texas Players, will go on sale today in the lobby of the Ritz theater, at a price sale of \$1.50, \$1, and 74 cents, tax included.

The play will be presented at the municipal auditorium on the evening of March 21, as the first in a proposed series of topflight dramatic hits by young Texas Theatricals, organized under university and theatrical auspices for the purpose of reviving repertory to Texas cities.

Young drama students at Texas colleges and universities make up the company, which will travel by special bus. It is on a professional basis, this being the determination of Lawrence Carra, director of the company. "Good drama is not a matter of geography," he says, "and Texas can have a theater group which meets Broadway standards."

One of the original board of directors responsible for the organization of Texas Players, Carra points out that "Texas has long been a recruiting ground for talent for Broadway and Hollywood. Many of these talented youngsters prefer to work in their own state. Certainly there is a vast potential audience for good drama in Texas. The Players attempt to bring the two — Texas talent and audiences — together."

Carra, an adopted Texan, is well acquainted with the state and its dramatic potentialities. In 1940 he joined the faculty of the University of Texas—drama department, and in 1942 he became acting head of the department. He has produced original plays, historical plays, and experimental forms of drama in the university workshops. Many of his shows made extensive tours over the state during the war, visiting army camps, naval bases, and service hospitals. He is on leave from the university post to direct the Players.

"Kind Lady," exciting story of an aristocratic woman and the jobless young man, with his gang, accepts her kindness as an opportunity almost to drive her insane, is an excellent play for the Carra method of direction. The engrossing situation makes for exciting theatre; excellent acting by individuals provides complete enjoyment for the audience.

The first separate children's court in the United States was established in Chicago in 1899.

RADIO NOTES

They've got another idea in quips shows these days, called "Try and Find Me," to make its initial appearance Monday afternoon on the ABC network. Listeners are to send in letters about their home town and the studio audience is to try to guess where he is. Bert Parks is the quizmaster.

The Ford Sunday Evening Hour records may be heard, during American Airlines flights very soon — as a soothing element during the dinner hour in the clouds.

Allen LaFever is still lifting and Phoebe, the "County Fair" calf is still growing, as the longest running stunt in radio moves into its 21st week on "County Fair," CBS, Saturdays. With the calf approaching the 275 mark and Allen remaining at 150, the 17 year old farmboy may soon have to give up the project started way back in October.

John Lardner, of Newsweek wrote all about him in a treatise called "Should Cows Be Lifted?" He says Allen has risen to unique fame among the elite of the sports world. Professional weight-lifters have been confounded by the farmboy and the calf.

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Yugoslav News Service Operates In US For Raising Standard of Women

By ADELAIDE KERR
AP Newsfeatures Writer

Vuka Simic, 22-year-old daughter of the Yugoslav ambassador to the United States, and Mrs. Vica Balen, youthful wife of the Yugoslav press attache in Washington, are in New York to lay the groundwork for a United States branch of Tanjug, the Yugoslav News Service.

How does it happen that Yugoslavia, where women had no vote before the war, now entrusts an international news job of first rate importance to two women—and young ones at that?

"In the war, Yugoslavia lost 1,700,000 people out of a population of between 15 and 16 millions and the country was devastated," was Vuka Simic's grave answer to that question. "Many of our most experienced people are gone, and at the same time there are thousands of reconstruction jobs to be done. Anybody who can do the job just has to do it, that's all. Lots of young people are doing work now they would not have had an opportunity to do before the war."

"But that's not the only reason," said Mrs. Balen quickly. "Yugoslav women were in the thick of things during the war and now they play a very active part in the country's affairs, on a basis of equality with men. Besides, we want to do as American women do, and seize our opportunities and make the most of them."

Both women have worked previously for Tanjug, which was founded in 1943, and the faces of both glowed with interest and eagerness as they discussed their work in New York, where they surveyed the field for office headquarters and personnel. Later they will make a report for the incoming director of Tanjug. Both expect to continue to work for the organization and both are active in the American Committee for Yugoslav Relief.

Miss Simic, tall, dark and pretty, speaks English, French and Russian, which she acquired in extensive European travel with her father, Stanoje Simic. During the war she lived first in Czechoslovakia and later in the USSR, while her father served as ambassador to those countries. In January, 1945, she returned to Yugo-



INTERNATIONAL PIONEERS, Vuka Simic and Vica Balen.

slavia to work as a translator for the Partisan Army and later served Tanjug in the same capacity.

Mrs. Balen, blue-eyed, brown-haired and attractive, is a journalist. Before the war she did newspaper work for the Croatian Daily in Zagreb, where her husband, Sime Balen, was an editor. However, she did not get a by-line and was not considered a professional because she was a woman. During the war she joined the Partisans, worked with the Anti-Fascist Women's Committee, helped collect food and clothing for the army and edited one of the women's newspapers. Later she worked for a year with Tanjug, editing the daily domestic bulletin. She is the mother of three children and helped organize a large children's home of 3,000 beds in Split, Yugoslavia, to care for war orphans.

"We have three women ministers in the state governments of Yugoslavia," they said proudly, each chipping in a word. "There are also women deputies in the national parliament now and women hold high and responsible positions in ministries of national government. Women also are doing a big job in the educational field. In spite of the devastation, there are now twice as many schools as formerly and most of the teachers are women. Women are also teaching in universities for the first time."

"Now that we have political equality, we are trying to reach the standard of American women. The members of the Anti-Fascist Women's committee hope that sometime American women will invite some of them here so that they can study American women's working methods and learn from them."

Hit-And-Run Driver Kills Aged Dallas Man

DALLAS, March 9 (AP)—W. P. Swingley, 63, of Dallas died last night in a hospital here after being struck by an automobile near Grand Saline. Sheriff Clyde Elliott of Van Zandt county said the driver of the automobile which struck Swingley did not stop.

AAA Office To Close Saturdays, Sundays

The AAA office will henceforth be closed Saturday and Sunday of each week, M. Weaver has announced.

Previously, the function has been inactive on Mondays

Reach Agreement

ANKARA, March 9 (AP)—Foreign Minister Sukru Saracoglu said today that Turkey has reached agreements with the governments of Syria and Lebanon for the exchange of diplomatic representatives.

The two states had not previously been recognized by Turkey.

Waves Pound New Test Super-Carrier

ABOARD THE USS MIDWAY OFF GREENLAND, March 9 (AP)—Pounding seas buffeted and damaged the new super-carrier Midway as she ploughed northward today for test maneuvers in Arctic waters.

Great waves bashed in two of the hangar deck's roller curtains—the venetian-blind-like doors in the ship's side just beneath the flight deck.

The damaged sections were shored up with timbers and angle irons, and similar bracing was ordered as a precaution for other opening ports on the hangar deck level.

The weather was getting no better and there was some expectation that the Midway would encounter zero temperatures by Saturday night. A driving snow storm set in, resulting in an order for escorting destroyers to steam in single line to lessen the possibility of collision in the low visibility.

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Spring Fashions on Parade



A NEW Spring — these four lovely young ladies are showing just what's new this spring. They are modeling the famous Carole King originals which they wore at the Style Show recently held.

Carole King originals

As Modeled in the Style Show

Mrs. Cecil McDonald, seated left, is shown wearing this dainty Carole King dress. Its simplicity is enhanced by rows of fagotting in skirt and sleeves, accentuated by button trim and a simple tie at the throat.

A black Milan straw by Shella is the perfect accompaniment.

Mrs. Escol Compton, standing, left, pictured with the Carole King original flounce, a perky little peplum. Its corselet waist yoke becomes a simple belt in the back and the open work yoke is daringly revealing.

With it is worn this beautiful white straw by Gage

Mary Ellen Chancellor, standing, right, wears a Carole King junior of white linen crash. The waist of this two-piece features scallops with shoulder tips and pockets of embroidery. Ideal for the young miss anxious to look her sweetest.

Elnora Hubbard, seated right, wears a soft afternoon frock designed by Carole King with a sweetheart neckline with that different look and cap sleeves. Embroidery detail is found at the shoulder line and on the gathered skirt.

With it is worn a smart black cocktail hat.



Springtime Is Play Clothes Time

Left: Mary La Verne Franklin models this clever black and white tiny check, with square neckline, ruffles edged with white rick-rack braid by Ann Howe. Button on skirt.

Center: A Le Ray Frock, smart at any time, of pink shantung, tricky pockets and tie neck, dressy for play time. Modeled by Evelyn Arnold.

Right: Evelyn Green models this Junior Fair, who gives us this green and white pin stripe play dress, trimmed in narrow embroidery edging, skirt buttons on.

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High Heel Slippers Have Formal Presentation

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More than 300 guests attended the formal presentation of the new members of the High Heel Slipper club Friday night at the country club.

The ball room was decorated with multi-colored streamers extended across the ballroom and with wall decorations of miniature slippers, each bearing the name of one of the 21 members.

Each member was presented through an archway representing a giant green slipper, and as each came through the door she was presented with a bouquet of mixed spring flowers by her club "big sister."

Ellen McLaughlin was escorted by Pat McDaniel, and wore a gown of white net with a corsage of red roses. Her "big sister" was Ann Blankenship.

Mary Joyce Summers wore a white net dress and her corsage was an orchid. She was escorted by J. T. Erwin and her "big sister" was Pat Cochran. Nancy Hooper was escorted by Larry Hall and wore a gown of white net with a corsage of red roses. Muriel Floyd was her "big sister."

Wearing a gown of white net, Dorothy Purser had a corsage of red carnations. Her escort was Charles McLauren and Miss Floyd was her "big sister." Escorted by James Brooks, Earlyn Wright wore a formal dress of pink and black marquisette with a corsage of pink

carnations. Evelyn Green was her "big sister."

Jimmy Smith escorted Mary Gerald Robbins who wore a gown of white net accentuated with a corsage of carnations. Her "big sister" was Evelyn Arnold.

Attired in a dress of pink and green, Lindel Gross had a corsage of pink carnations at the waist. Her escort was Joe Jabor, and the "big sister" was Millie Balch.

Nancy Lovelace was escorted by John Coffee and wore a gown of red and white jersey with a corsage of gardenias. Miss Lovelace's sister was Wilda Watts.

Tommie Kinman chose a dress of pink silk organdy with a corsage of white carnations, and was escorted by Gene Foster. Jean Murphy acted as "big sister."

Wearing white net and red roses, Delores Hull was escorted by Jimmy Morehead. Joyce Worrell, escorted by Culin Grigsby, wore a flowered taffeta dress with white carnations in her corsage. Doris Morehead acted as their "big sister."

Mrs. Ruth Burnam was mistress of ceremonies for the affair, and Thyme Tex band furnished music for the dance which followed.

Royce Bridwell Elected Head Of Couples Class

Royce Bridwell was named president of the Couples class Friday when members met for a business meeting followed by a game party at the church.

C. P. Ward will act as vice-president, Arlene Johnson will be secretary, and Mrs. Jim Boswell is assistant secretary. Fred Haller was named treasurer and Mrs. A. H. Ryle will act as social chairman.

A sing-song was held and refreshments were served.

Members and guests attending were Mr. and Mrs. Ward, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Staggs, Mr. and Mrs. Haller, Mrs. H. D. McCright, Mrs. Boswell, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Wyatt, Mr. and Mrs. M. O. Spears, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Stokes, Mr. and Mrs. Charles N. Staggs, Mr. and Mrs. Bridwell, Mrs. Perry Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Grover Cunningham, Jr., Mrs. E. A. Williams, Mrs. Howard Stephens, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Ryle and Rev. James Swafford.



MARRIES MICHIGAN MAN—Mrs. Donald Swope was the former Myrtle Barron before her marriage March 5 in a formal ceremony at the First Baptist church. Mrs. Swope wore a gown of white satin with a yoke of madrasette. She was attended by Julia Mae Cochran as maid of honor. The couple left Wednesday morning for Lansing, Mich., where Swope plans to resume his college work. (Photo by Bradshaw.)

Dr. J. E. Hogan Discusses Socialized Medicine At Meeting Of Woman's Forum

Dr. J. E. Hogan was the principal speaker when the members of the Modern Woman's Forum met Friday afternoon in the First Baptist church with Mrs. S. M. Winham as hostess.

Dr. Hogan spoke on socialized medicine and discussed the impending bill for it. He outlined the effects of the program and explained the points of the measure. The parlor of the church was decorated with bowls of pansies and violets and the refreshment table was laid with a lace cloth over green. An arrangement of daffodils was placed on a reflector, and white tapers were placed

in crystal candelabra. The St. Patrick's day theme was followed in napkins.

Members present were: Mrs. R. L. Warren, Mrs. G. G. Sawtelle, Mrs. Albert Fisher, Mrs. Bob Eubank, Mrs. L. E. Eddy, Mrs. J. P. Dodge, Mrs. Cecil Collings, Mrs. Thomas J. Coffee.

Guests included Mrs. G. E. Felton, Mrs. Davis, both of Coahoma, Mrs. J. C. Waits, Mrs. W. D. McDonald, Mrs. H. N. Robinson, Mrs. N. W. McCleskey, Mrs. W. A. Laswell, Mrs. P. Marion Simms, Mrs. Georgia B. Potter and Mrs. W. G. Wilson, Jr.

National Secretaries Have Dinner Meet; Plan Rush Week Locally, March 22-29

For a dinner meeting the members of the National Secretaries association gathered at the Settles Friday evening.

Mrs. Elizabeth Canning presided at the business meeting which followed the dinner, at which time plans were made for rush week. The period for inviting new members will extend from March 22 through March 29.

Some time ago there existed in the public mind much confusion concerning who was a bookkeeper and who was an accountant, Mrs. Canning declared. The accountants decided to do something about it, Mrs. Canning explained, to correct the confusion. The first thing done was the forming of a society which elevated the standards of their profession. This in turn led to the degree of CPA, a mark of distinction, stamping indelibly the holder as a person capable of the greatest proficiency and work of the highest trust.

"CSA," Mrs. Canning declared, "is the one truly, national society of secretaries, and its members

hold the degree of CPS, "Certified Professional Secretaries."

Its purpose is to unite socially, educationally and protectively the members of the profession. And the rush week has been designated for contacting other secretaries for the local chapter.

Members present were Vivian Hall, Martine McDonald, Nell Feather, Violet Butts, Gladys Mattingly, Ruth Sheppard, Julia Mae Cochran, Virginia Lassiter, Mrs. Canning.

The next meeting will be a luncheon at the Crawford on March 22.

Mrs. H. V. Crocker Entertains Club

The St. Patrick's day theme was followed at the regular party of the Friendship club Friday when members met in the home of Mrs. H. V. Crocker. Bowls of violets were used in decorations.

Mrs. A. W. Crocker won guest high in bridge, and Mrs. R. L. Pritchett made high score for members. Mrs. Louis Murdock won the floating prize, and Mrs. G. L. James and Mrs. Herbert Johnson binged.

Guests for the meeting were Mrs. A. W. Crocker and Mrs. C. M. Shaw. Members attending were Mrs. Britchett, Mrs. Murdock, Mrs. James, Mrs. Herbert Johnson, Mrs. Garner McDams, Mrs. R. F. Blum and the hostess.

Representatives Of Seven Churches At Prayer Meet

Rev. H. C. Smith
Urges Cooperation
For World Peace

"If everybody works together we can bring about peace," Rev. H. Clyde Smith declared when he spoke to the ladies of the local church in their observance of the World Day of Prayer Friday afternoon at the First Presbyterian church.

In speaking of the world's peace he stressed straight thinking, and urged that all the people live together in the spirit of the pioneer and with their courage.

Mrs. D. A. Koons presided at the meeting which was opened with Mrs. Noble Kenemur's singing of "Open Mine Eyes That I May See," accompanied by Mrs. Pat Kenney at the organ.

Mrs. George O'Brien gave the devotional, and took her scripture from Job 21, 13 and chose as her topic, "What Is Almighty That We Should Serve Him."

Seven churches represented at the meeting included First Presbyterian, Jewish, First Methodist, First Baptist, St. Mary's Episcopal, Wesley Methodist and East Fourth Baptist.

Ladies attending were Mrs. F. H. Talbot, Mrs. T. S. Currie, Mrs. J. C. Lane, Mrs. D. A. Koons, Mrs. W. A. Laswell, Mrs. U. S. Dalmont, Mrs. C. A. Schull, Mrs. F. G. Powell, Mrs. H. L. Mason, Mrs. A. M. Fisher, Mrs. G. T. Hall, Mrs. B. Fisher, Mrs. B. Eckhaus, Mrs. M. E. Perry.

Mrs. Ike Low, Mrs. Cecil Nabors, Mrs. W. D. McDonald, Mrs. N. W. McCleskey, Mrs. F. B. Wilson, Mrs. J. C. Waits, Sr., Mrs. H. N. Robinson, Mrs. J. G. Potter, Mrs. J. B. Mull, Mrs. W. B. Settles, Mrs. W. L. Porterfield.

Mrs. Steve Tamsitt, Mrs. J. O. Tamsitt, Mrs. P. Marion Simms, Mrs. Harvey Carmack, Mrs. Joyce Fisher, Rev. and Mrs. H. Clyde Smith, Mrs. N. Brenner, Mrs. H. Frank, Mrs. George O'Brien, Mrs. Iva Huneycutt, Mrs. Bob Eubank, Mrs. Shine Phillips, Mrs. R. L. Warren and Mrs. W. G. Wilson, Jr.

Ladies Auxiliary Hears Mrs. Read Give Book Review

COAHOMA, March 7. (Sp) — "Daughter of Africa," a book on foreign missions by Ruth Isabel Sealbury, was reviewed by Mrs. Charles Read when the ladies of the Presbyterian Auxiliary met Wednesday.

A covered dish luncheon was served at the noon hour, and the ladies assembled again following the meal for the election of new officers.

Mrs. Glenn Guthrie was named president, Mrs. C. H. DeVaney, vice president and Mrs. Sam Hicks, secretary and Mrs. Leroy Echols, treasurer.

The devotional was given by Mrs. Glenn Guthrie and Mrs. A. C. Hale was in charge of the program on the subject, "Because the Church Must Win."

Those attending were Mrs. Elsie Elliot, Mrs. Cora Echols, Mrs. Arnold Johnson, Mrs. A. C. Hale, Mrs. Guthrie, Miss Agnes Barnhill, Mrs. Leroy Echols, Mrs. Bruce Mayfield, Mrs. H. T. Hale, Mrs. Sam Hicks, Mrs. Truett DeVaney, Mrs. C. H. DeVaney and Mrs. Charles Read Jr.

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News From Knott

Knott Delegation Consults Architect On School Program

KNOTT, March 9 (Sp)—Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Barnes, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Roman, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Allred, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Spaulding, J. J. Kemper and C. B. Donoghue all made a trip to Denver City Saturday to meet an architect in connection with the Knott school building program.

T. M. Robinson and Lloyd attended the fat stock show in San Angelo last weekend. Mr. and Mrs. Robinson, Lloyd and Wilma Joyce and Roger Brown attended the fat stock show at Abilene.

Dinner guests in the J. J. Kemper home Sunday for turkey dinner were her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Bayes and Glenn of Big Spring and Joe Bayes of Knott. Cecil, J. B. and Bill Shockley were called to Brownsville due to illness of a brother-in-law.

Jay Tunnel, Y. C. and his wife have been visiting with his sister, Mrs. Joe Myers and family. Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Mundell and family visited Sunday with their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Beggs of Lamesa.

Howard Smith of Hardin-Simmons in Abilene spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. R. Smith. He spoke at the missionary Baptist church, which Rev. R. D. Hill has resigned as pastor.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Britton Pounds Sunday were her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Dennis of Lamesa, Mr. and Mrs. Hershell Johnson and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Gross, J. C. Gross and Betty Cantrell of Big Spring and Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Gross and family of Knott.

Mrs. E. L. Roman of Knott and her brother, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Curry of Big Spring were called to Lubbock to the bedside of their mother, Mrs. Jack Curry of Tahoka, who is seriously ill in a Lubbock hospital.

James Wheely, of Tyler spent the weekend in the J. E. Brown home. Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Burchell and family visited last week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Burchell of Carlsbad, N. M.

ROCKETS VISIT

Mr. and Mrs. Chadd Rockett of Dallas are spending the weekend with Mrs. Lula Reeves, Mrs. Rockett's mother. The Rocketts are former residents of Big Spring.



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The spring theme was followed at the meeting of the Afternoon Bridge club Friday afternoon when Mrs. Roy Tidwell entertained.

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Mrs. Clyde Thomas made high score and Mrs. J. E. McCrary binged.

Members present were Mrs. A. H. Ryle, Mrs. Ollie Anderson, Mrs. Fred Haller, Mrs. Roy Lassiter, Mrs. Carlson Hamilton, Mrs. Tidwell.

Mrs. Thomas and Mrs. McCrary were guests.

Spring Enlistment Of Baptists Ends

Last services in the spring enlistment crusade will be held at the First Baptist church today with Rev. B. J. Martin, Ballinger, leading in three services.

The Rev. Martin, a young man in the ministry, has been greeted with good response during a week of morning and evening services. Several professions of faith, together with others coming by letter and rededication, have resulted. He speaks first at a decision service set for 10 a. m. for all departments above the primary. Morning worship will be at 11 a. m. and the evening service at 7:30 p. m.



MRS. LONNIE COOPER

Loudelle Morgan Married In Fort Worth Church

Local Girl Becomes Bride Of Former Service Man

The wedding of Loudelle Morgan, daughter of Mrs. A. Morgan of Norton, and Lonnie M. Cooper, son of Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Cooper of Pine-land, was solemnized in a late afternoon ceremony on February 24 at four o'clock in the Ridgela Baptist church in Fort Worth.

The Rev. Stewart B. Simms officiated at the single ring service read before family members.

The bride wore a street length dress of navy blue with white trim with which she carried white gloves. She wore a heart-shaped off the face hat of imported China mill straw with gardenia trim. Her other accessories were black. Mrs. Armon S. Cooper, who attended her sister, was attired in a

light blue dress of spring wool. Her accessories were of black.

The groom was attended by his brother, Armon Cooper.

The bride has resided in Big Spring for several years, having been employed for the past three years at the Big Spring army air field.

The groom was recently discharged from the military service after having served for three years in England with a fighter plane squadron.

The couple will be at home at 5902 Lovell in Fort Worth after a wedding trip to East Texas. He is associated with his brother in business at Fort Worth.

The Riado, principal bridge of Venice, was built of marble in 1590 at a cost of more than \$500,000.

Local Cinema Queen Attends First World Premiere, Recalls Youthful Dreams

A head cold and laryngitis are not exactly the expected accouterments for glamor, and those happen to be the conditions under which Jean Porter, Big Spring's contribution to moviedom, appeared on her last visit back to her home town.

Despite the fact that she was confined to a hospital bed the last day of her visit, and was draped somewhat awkwardly in a rough hospital gown she was still attractive, and between sniffs the personality which put her over in the movies slipped through.

Miss Porter has just completed a film in which she co-starred with Guy Madison, screen's latest bobble sox dream man, called "Till the End of Time." The diminutive actress declared that she was often approached by the teen agers and questioned about the film hero.

Not only is she now the envy of the younger set, but she will begin a picture within the next few days playing a role which would be coveted by the teen agers of about five years ago. She will soon appear in a picture with Jimmy Stewart, the first he has made since he returned from the wars. She seemed as excited and thrilled about it as any girl would, movie star or

JEAN PORTER
(Jack Haynes Photo)

not. The movie will be called "It's a Wonderful World."

Questioned about the type of people in Hollywood Miss Porter replied that the people in the movies are just the same as those in any other business. She vowed that there were some of the "Swellest people in the world in that business."

"I don't feel a bit different than I did when I was at the autograph hunting, hero worshipping stage," Miss Porter related. "When I was at that age I thought that the stars were the most wonderful people in the world and that they must have their own special feeling. I used to hang over the ropes at premieres and wonder what it was like—being on the inside of the ropes."

"Last week I attended my first world premiere," she continued, "and it didn't feel a bit different. I saw the kids leaning over the

Rook Club Meets With Mrs. Jones Friday Afternoon

For their regular monthly meeting the members of the Rook Club met Friday in the home of Mrs. S. P. Jones.

Mrs. W. A. Miller and Mrs. H. F. Williamson tied for high. Members present were Mrs. Miller, Mrs. D. C. Sadler, Mrs. J. R. Manion, Mrs. G. S. True, Mrs. S. P. Eason, Mrs. W. H. Power, Mrs. Ray Wilcox, and the hostess, Mrs. Williamson was a guest.

MUSIC CLUB MEETS

Junior Music Study club will meet in the home of Billie Jean O'Neal at 1601 Runnels Tuesday at 7 p. m.

ropes and remembered myself at that time."

She attended the affair with Eddie Dimitrik, director of her picture. She was attending "And Now Tomorrow."

Miss Porter returned to Hollywood by plane Thursday afternoon.



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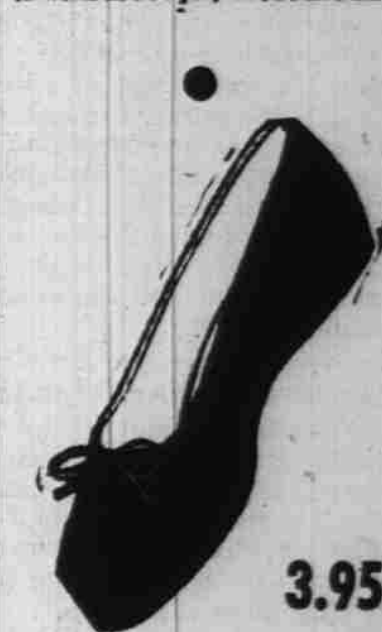
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Editorial—

No Traditions To Break

Trustees of the Howard County Junior College district have elected E. C. Dodd, a schoolman of nearly 25 years of experience, as first president of the institution.

Based on his experiences and the opinions of those who have known and worked with him for many years, Mr. Dodd comes well equipped for his new task.

His selection came after the board had given considerable study to many men experienced in the field. Out of the field, the choice was no easy one.

Besides his background of experience and training, one thing which is particularly appealing about the new president is that he is enthusiastic about starting a new institution. It is particularly appealing, he says, because there are no traditions to maintain. The district, through the board and the administrator, will be free to build the type of program which will best serve the people of this particular area. This has been one of the best arguments in favor of a junior college for Howard county. We are not out to compete with universities but to serve our own needs.

His familiarity with the state department of education operation (he served as a college examiner and director of curriculum), plus his knowledge of special educational programs (gained through his most recent experience as an educationalist for the Civil Aeronautics Administration) should enable him to get immediately about the business of exploring possibilities for a GI educational program here. This might well be a good starting point for the college from many points of view.

Understanding Needed

Efforts to mobilize Americans against world famine are commendable.

Just as we were the "arsenal of democracy" in producing the implements and supplies by which the war was won, so must America be the key to the situation in combating mass starvation.

There are perhaps two big obstacles to overcome before such a program can succeed. One is in overcoming a psychology which says: "Let them starve. It is none of our affair." This is a different shade of isolationism which proposes to masquerade under the banner of realism. To withhold food to starving people because they have done the world wrong is to return evil for evil. To withhold it from innocent victims because of apathy is inhumane.

Another danger is that the people will not understand the seriousness of the situation or the purpose of programs designed to share food supplies. This was evidenced after the initial announcements about flour. Instead of resolving to get along on available supplies, thousands of housewives became militant hoarders. Obviously, they were missing the mark of the program.

Even though America needed to face some deprivations, the ideal would be worth it. But the simple truth is that we can still eat as well or better than we normally do as a nation while furnishing fundamentals to unfortunate over the world. What is needed is some calm, commonsense.

Campaign With Dividends

Within another week, the safety committee of the chamber of commerce, headed by Roy Reeder, will undertake a special educational campaign in traffic safety.

As Reeder has mapped the program, a program of publicity will be developed to inform the people of traffic regulations all of us should know, yet about which most of us are only vaguely familiar. This will be followed by a special safety day in which Boy

Toward A Better Armed Service

By FRANK GRIMES
Herald, Special Writer

Dr. George Gallup's American Institute of Public Opinion recently interviewed World War II veterans and run-of-mine voters for their reaction to this question:

"What more do you think the army should do to get hundreds of thousands of men to enlist?"

The No. 1 reply on both lists was: Raise army pay.

Both groups also cited more democracy in officer-enlisted men relations as a prime need, and better educational and recreational programs, more opportunity for advancement and increased allowances figured in the picture.

The war and navy departments have asked congress to grant horizontal pay hikes of 20 per cent to all officers and men. This stands a good chance for passage if for no other reason than that it gives congress an alternative to draft extension, and possibly to compulsory military training, neither of which congress seems disposed to embrace. Up to now enlistments have been good, chiefly because of the uncertainties and insecurities of civilian life. These factors also had a decided effect on the call to officers for regular commissions. For every vacancy, seven officers applied.

But the country needs, and will continue to need perhaps for some years, an army-navy combined strength of between 2,000,000 and 3,000,000 men, and the present pay setup simply won't produce them.

Also, it needs a general overhaul of the armed services along the lines reflected in the Gallup poll. Enlisted men need the inducement of steady advancement. Younger officers should have a clear field toward greater rank and responsibility. Merit and not mere seniority should determine promotion. A really effective and automatic system of grading should be installed to insure competent leadership in peace as in war.

The present inequitable system under which officers receive full pay for accumulated leave upon separation from the service should be applied to enlisted men, who get no such consideration.

The so-called officer privileges, sadly abused by many small-bore individuals, created more resentment than any other one thing. This not only embittered enlisted men against offending officers, but produced equally bitter resentment among younger officers against seniors who pulled rank on them, sometimes in fantastic ways. When soldiers speak of the need for more democracy in the army, chances are ten to one that they have these particular abuses in mind. They understand the need of discipline, they know that indiscriminate mingling of all ranks won't work out in practice, but they also know that there can be discipline and respect without maintenance of artificial barriers between officers and men.

For our national safety, probably for our very national existence, we shall need a military establishment far larger than we ever knew before in peacetime. The world is unsettled, and barring a miracle it will be in that condition for several years at best. The more efficient our armed forces are, the smaller they need be. Therefore, revision in the direction of more equality and better pay to produce a better satisfied and more efficient military organization is distinctly a "must" in our present plans. A high quality professional army is, in the words of George Washington, our best insurance of peace.

Scouts will take over the city operation for a day to enforce the regulations.

Doubtless there will be scores of people picked up for infractions. The fines, when imposed, will be nominal. We hope that people enter into the spirit of the occasion, realizing that it is to educate the public in the need for obeying traffic rules.

There can be substantial benefits accruing from such a program. It will serve to reduce an alarmingly high rate of accidents which involve injuries and property damage, and thus will save us in money and human misery.

The Thrill That Comes Once In A Lifetime



With The AEF: Pyramids Are Having Business Depression

By HAL BOYLE

CAIRO, March 8. (P) — The Pyramids are undergoing a business depression — and so is Hussein Khattab, as their interpreter.

"Sometimes only three people a day come out here," said Khattab, who is an official dragoman or guide.

"Things were much better during the war. We used to get 500 or more soldiers at a time then." Khattab looks melodramatically Egyptian in his tall red tasseled turban and flowing wool gallagya. He can rattle off dates like Phil Bess Kappa but the romance, intrigue and warfare in the Nile valley's palmy days interest him only remotely. He looks at life and history strictly from an economic point of view.

As a result, he finds himself in disagreement with the Cheops who paid 400,000 men to work for 20 years some 50 centuries ago to build the largest pyramid at Giza, just outside Cairo. The only thing Khattab approves about the whole project is that it has provided him with a job.

He became a guide two years ago after three years of study of Egypt's past, required before the government would give him a guide's license. Before that he ran his own perfume shop in the "Mousky," Cairo's native business quarter.

Broadway—

Noble Halls Become Jazz Hot

By JACK O'BRIAN

NEW YORK. — Time was, five or so years ago, that a hot jazz concert in Town Hall or Carnegie Hall was looked on with sniffy suspicion as a freak stunt, a one-shot event which couldn't be repeated successfully. But the noble halls now ring out with the firm beat of a Krupa drum solo, an Ellington orchestration of a huskily sung Basin Street ditty dozens of times a year.

Five years ago Eddie Condon brought his guitar and a formless gathering of New York musicians, who liked their music played without manuscripts in front of them, to Town Hall. The brainchild of Condon and a fellow named Ernest Anderson, who believed there could be money made by such unlikely ventures, the first one was a somewhat sorry affair. The first Town Hall audience was so slim, in fact, that Eddie addressed it as: "Lady and Gentleman." He was too close to telling the truth for very much comfort at the time, and no one laughed very hard. And on several later occasions the musicians on stage outnumbered the paying customers.

Not a few of the critics thought then that perhaps Eddie and Ernest should be led away quietly to a nice, comfortable room with thick padding for decor. Several critics, however, thought the recitals a lively and interesting idea. After five years, mostly a struggle, the Condon-conducted concerts, which are bapazard affairs where in any good musician who chooses to pack his horn to Town Hall can take part, now are held regularly on the first Saturday of each month from October through May.

Associated with Condon and Anderson are a group of guys who like their music hot and have worked like Trojans for a somewhat slim reward other than the satisfaction of knowing that they were right.

There is a meandering and unrehearsed quality about the concerts which still puzzles a few onlookers. They have become so popular that Eddie landed his own radio program. Recently the boys opened their own night club in Greenwich Village, called simply "Eddie Condon's," where any night the regular orchestral nucleus of seven or eight instrumentalists is augmented by such notable visitors from the more formal swing music field as both Dorsey's, Benny Goodman, Gene Krupa, Charlie Barnet and any number of highly-paid radio and theater musicians who "sit in" for sheer fun.

On Mondays, when the Condon gang takes a one-day respite, they junket to various cities to play

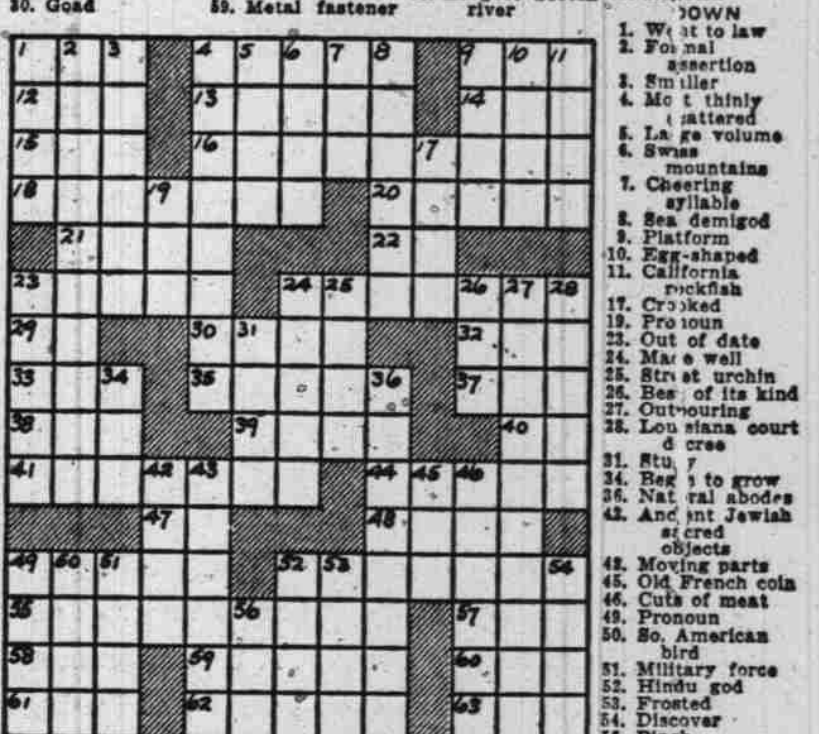
one-night concerts, each within a moderate train ride from Third St., of course. Eddie says no matter what the critics in these communities think and write of the boys' efforts, "we can get away the same night in plenty of time to escape rat, feathers or any other appreciation of the sort."

Christopher Columbus journeyed to Ireland to check a report that St. Brendan had once sailed across the ocean.

Crossword Puzzle

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1. One of the Cape Verde Islands
2. Move suddenly
3. Beetle
12. Tree
13. Arctic
14. Salvation
15. Aerial railway; colloq.
16. Living either on land or in water
17. Wishes
18. Famous electrician
19. Recovers
20. Absent
21. Analyze grammatically
24. Musical composition
29. By God
30. Good
31. Brightest star in a constellation
32. Kinsman
33. Body of Jewish law
37. Blunder
38. French coin
39. Biblical king
40. Note of the scale
41. Bore
42. Cap
43. Artificial language
44. Sacred image
45. Characteristic
46. Give a place to
47. Mouth organ
48. Pet name for a close relative
49. Limb
50. Metal fastener
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Washington Merry-Go-Round—

Anglo-American Alliance Little Late

By DREW PEARSON

WASHINGTON. — Winston Churchill's magnetic voice coming over the air waves from Fulton, Mo., touched off interesting reminiscences on the part of insiders who had sat with Churchill and FDR during dark war days.

The reminiscences pertained to how Churchill's Anglo-American alliance worked out when he was at the head of the British empire and in a position to make it work. Here are some of the reminiscences:

Churchill on Hongkong:

When FDR and Winston arrived in Cairo in 1943, they discovered that no one had remembered to meet Chiang Kai-Shek at the airport. This was not Roosevelt's or Churchill's fault, because they arrived afterward. But Roosevelt, wanting to make amends for the oversight, called on Chiang at his hotel and told him of ambitious American plans to reopen the Burma road and send supplies to China.

Next day, however, Churchill vetoed the Burma road — much to Chiang Kai-Shek's chagrin.

Roosevelt, wanting to compensate for this, later proposed that the British return Hongkong to China and that China then turn it over to the United States as a free port for all the world to use. Chiang Kai-Shek glowed with pleasure. But Churchill glowered.

"It was not made prime minister of England," he said, "to liquidate the British Empire."

After that, it took all Roosevelt's persuasive charm to keep Chiang from bolting the Cairo conference.

NOTE — The British still keep Hongkong and not even the labor government has made any move to restore it.

Churchill on the Mediterranean:

At Casablanca in 1943, the question of a cross-channel invasion of France was discussed by Roosevelt and Churchill. The US general staff wanted it. The British didn't. Finally, Churchill said that if a second front was undertaken, the British army could supply only 30 per cent of the invasion force, saddling the American Army with 70 per cent of the burden.

"We cannot squander the seed of the Empire," Churchill argued.

The man who most vigorously opposed the prime minister regarding this was Gen. Al Wedemeyer, then head of the general staff's war plans division. He maintained that a 30-70 troop ratio would mean that no second front could be started for at least one year and that the war would be prolonged unnecessarily. It would take at least a year to transport the required US troops across the Atlantic, Wedemeyer argued, whereas the British already had a sizeable army in England which could be used for a second front if they would go in on a ration of 50-50.

Churchill, however, stood pat. He was very irate with General Wedemeyer, however, and later suggested to FDR that Lord Louis Mountbatten needed an expert American liaison officer for his campaign in India. He specifically asked that Wedemeyer be attached to Mountbatten. Wedemeyer

had spent several years in Germany, knew German tactics, did not know the Far East. Despite that, Churchill got him transferred to India.

The second front was started a year and a half later with a ratio of 70 percent American troops to 30 percent British.

Churchill at Ottawa:

At the Ottawa conference between Churchill and FDR, General Marshall clashed with Sir Alan Brooke, British chief of staff, regarding Far Eastern operations. Marshall demanded faster action by the British in the India-Burma theater, was most impatient over British delays. Sir Alan Brooke resented this.

After Ottawa, Churchill accompanied Roosevelt back to Washington, camped in the White House and adroitly suggested to FDR that, in view of the coming second front, the Allies needed a man of General Marshall's stature as Allied commander.

Of course, as European commander, Marshall would have nothing further to say about the India-Burma theater or any other part of the war — save Europe. At first FDR consented. But when this leaked to the press, the furore was so critical that the decision was reversed.

Churchill on India:

When William Phillips, special ambassador to India, gave Roosevelt an urgent warning that trouble was due in India unless the British promised dominion status immediately, FDR finally sat down with Churchill to talk it over.

But the prime minister wanted no advice from anyone — not even an ally. Founding on the desk, he insisted that no one knew how to handle India except the British. "Blood will flow," he shouted, "if there is American interference."

Churchill on the Mediterranean:

At Casablanca, Churchill got a promise from Roosevelt that the Mediterranean theater was to be British-dominated. Churchill then went to Turkey and made a public statement to that effect.

After that all telegrams from American personnel in the Eastern Mediterranean had to be sent over British radio channels, in British codes and scrutinized by British officials. All American personnel flying into Greece had to travel on British planes and be cleared by the British. All American lend-lease had to have American labels scratched off and relabeled with "British deliveries."

Much of the subsequent trouble

in Greece, in the opinion of Roosevelt advisers, resulted from this off-hand promise wrung from FDR by Churchill.

Conclusion of the one old Roosevelt adviser who reminisced over Churchill's speech: "Winston's offer of an Anglo-American alliance reminds me of his offer to France to form a British alliance in 1940. In 1936 Hitler invaded the Rhineland, France asked Britain for help. The British looked in the other direction. But in 1940 they came begging — just four years too late.

"Churchill is equally late today. If he really wanted an alliance with us, why didn't he practice it regarding Hongkong, India, the Mediterranean?"

Capital Chaff

Democrats were wrangling last week about the right of Chicago's Representative Sabath to be heard as much as Mississippi's Representative John Rankin. Meanwhile, GOP Leader Joe Martin went over to Democrat Mike Monroney of Oklahoma and said: "Mike, the next time you Democrats get into a scrap like this and it comes to a vote, we're just going to vote 'present' and let you Democrats fight it out yourselves." ... Atlanta's new congresswoman, Mrs. Helen Douglas Mankin, has been assiduously cultivated by the Georgia delegation — with long visits on the floor of the House even from the two Georgia senators — George and Russell. But the first chance she got she voted against Rankin.

North Carolina's Chairman Bob Doughton of the House Ways and Means committee not only believes that people should continue paying the wartime excess-tax rates on luxuries such as furs, but also that children should continue paying the wartime tax on movie tickets. "After all," says Doughton, "kids don't have to go to the movies — they're a luxury." (Copyright, 1946, by the Bell Syndicate, Inc.)

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Washington—

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By JACK STINNETT

WASHINGTON. — Because a Greek business man threatened to picket the Maritime Commission with 50 bearded priests of the Greek Catholic Church, persons in the war-devastated native land are now getting a regular flow of packages from relatives and friends in this country.

James A. Booras who, with his brother in Greece, operates the Greek Railway Express, started last June in his efforts to get shipping space for individual packages containing much-needed clothing, medicines and other necessities for the war-stripped people.

Both UNRRA and the State Department were interested in Booras' appeal to aid the Greeks in this manner but no ships were available. Nine days before the Gripsholm sailed in late August, J. E. Saugstad, chief of the shipping division of the State Department, notified Booras that space had been allocated.

Through Greek language newspapers and the church, Booras sent out the good word: In order to facilitate loading, packages were accepted at the Jersey City pier. For nine days, there was an almost unbroken line of persons with packages for friends and relatives on the other side. The space was not all used when the Gripsholm sailed, but a few more days would have done it.

Booras went to work immediately to get more space. Through September and October, packages piled up at his New York offices, but no ships. He appealed directly to President Truman and was referred to Adm. Emory S. Land, chairman of the Maritime Commission. The federal wheels ground as slowly as they usually do until Booras threatened to picket the commission with Greek priests.

That did it. In November, Booras was allocated 30,000 cubic feet on the John W. Gates and now has a monthly allocation of that amount.

Booras is a business man, of course, but his program to get the Greeks back on a self-sustaining basis as quickly as possible not only has won the approval of UNRRA and the State Department but has attracted the attention of other war ravaged lands. Representatives of Italy, Yugoslavia, Belgium and Norway already have asked Booras for an outline of his operation.

He is working on a plan now to ship thousands of packages of seeds to Greece this spring and as soon as the freighters come along to ship over 5,000 cows, timed to arrive so that calves will be born soon after the cows are settled in their new homes.

It is this phase of the plan that has appealed so strongly to UNRRA for every person put on a self-sustaining basis means one less on the relief rolls.

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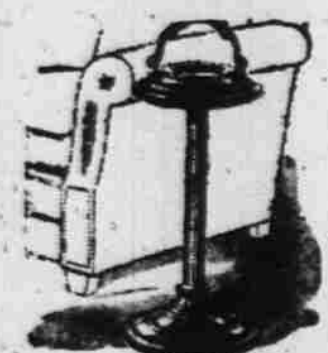
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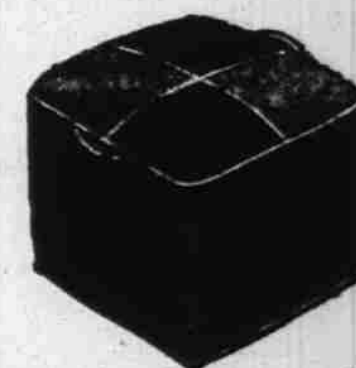
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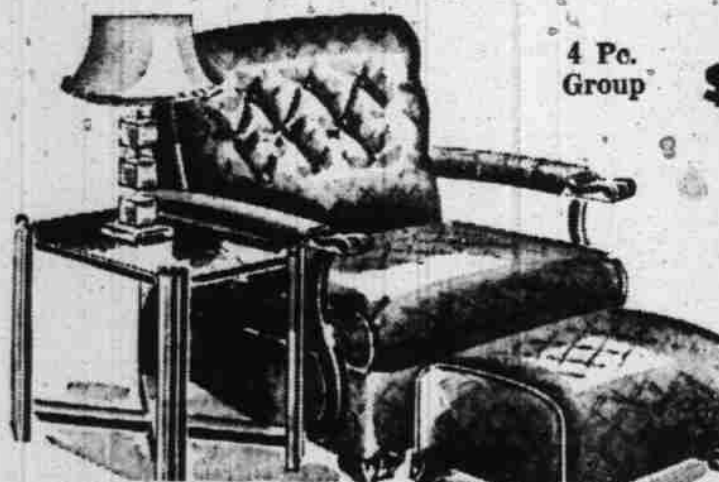


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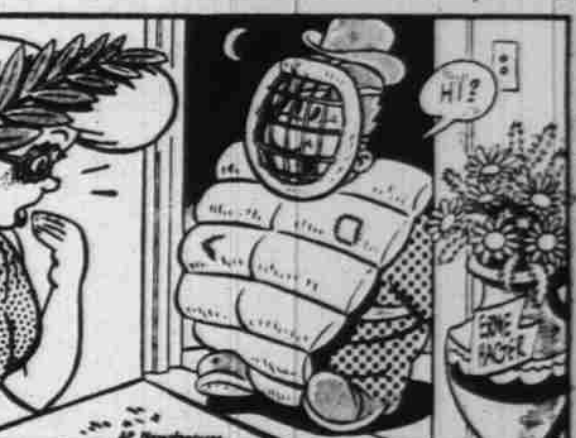
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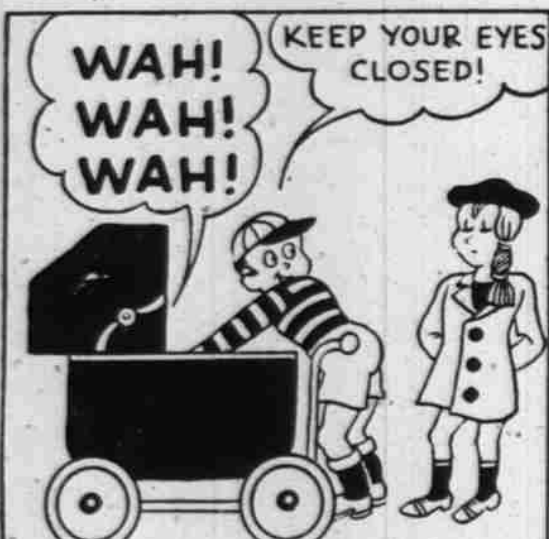
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AP Newfeatures
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The Nation Today—

Railroad Strikes Belong To History— Surely One Cannot Happen Tomorrow

BY JAMES MARLOW

WASHINGTON, March 9. (P)—One of the bloodiest chapters in American labor history was that of the railroads and their workers. But there's been no major railroad strike since 1926.

Why will the railroad strike threatened for Monday almost surely not occur? Because of the Railway Labor Act Congress passed in 1926, and which has undergone a few changes since.

A joint committee of representatives of the railroads and unions supported the bill which became the law.

It sets up a three-man national mediation board. The members, appointed by the President, serve three-year terms. The board handles disputes over wages and working conditions.

It works like this: Say a union wants higher pay. It notifies the company. There can be no strike for the next 30 days, while the company and union talk it over.

If they can't agree, the union asks the mediation board to step in. If the board can't get the company and union to agree, it asks both sides to submit their case to a special arbitration board set up to pass on this one case.

Neither side has to agree to submit its case to an arbitration board. But when both agree, both must accept the board's decision.

Suppose a union refuses to submit its case to an arbitration board. It decides to strike. In that case, the mediation board decides whether the strike will interfere with interstate commerce.

If the mediation board so decides, it notifies the President. He then appoints a fact-finding board.

The fact-finders have to report to the President within 30 days. During that time there can be no strike. Nor can there be a strike for 30 days after the board reports.

After the fact-finders report to the President, neither company nor union has to accept the fact-finders' say-so. But they usually do.

The present dispute started last summer. The non-operating unions—such as clerks and maintenance men—asked for a wage increase of 30 cents an hour and changes in their working conditions.

The operating unions—such as engineers and firemen and conductors—asked for \$2.50 a day more and changes in their working conditions.

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Import Scientists

LONDON, March 9. (AP)—The British board of trade said today that about 2,000 volunteer German scientists and technicians are to be brought to England for a limited period to advise British industry.

Readmits Germans

GENEVA, Switzerland, March 9. (AP)—The executive committee of the International Young Men's Christian Association voted today to readmit the German YMCA to the world organization.

Stays In Woman's Place

SWISS MISS DOESN'T VOTE --- AND DOESN'T MUCH CARE TO

By DEWITT MACKENZIE
AP World Traveler

BERN, Switzerland, March 9.—This country doesn't allow women to vote, but when you investigate the question you encounter the strange circumstance that the ladies in general don't appear to be over-anxious for suffrage in political affairs, although most of them would like a hand in settling social problems.

Many of the real crusaders for complete voting rights are among the elderly women, who were active in the days when the militant suffragettes were a world phenomenon.

The average Swiss woman is essentially a housewife and has the notion that the woman's place is in the home, studying the welfare of the family.

There are few countries where citizens participate so intimately in the affairs of state as here in little Switzerland. The Swiss looks on this participation not as a "right" but as a "duty," with the result that he is constantly engaged in settling the problems of his community or the country as a whole.

To illustrate, take the city of

Bern, whose government is 800 years old. Most local laws go directly to the voters, who are called up about once a month to deal with them. In some places the citizens even elect the school teachers by direct vote.

Three Alpine cantons still have the old form of democracy which they have practiced for over 600 years. All the peasants get together in April with a lot of pageantry and, after debate, vote on the business of the canton. They stand in a big circle — maybe 5,000 or 6,000 men — and vote by a show of hands. If the presiding official can't determine the vote in this way the circle separates into two opposing bodies and there is a count of noses. Everybody turns out for this town meeting, that is all the voters, but the chances are that somebody has to stay home — and that will be mother.

This intimate association of the citizen with local affairs extends to the national government. The federal assembly can pass a law, but if 30,000 voters ask for a plebiscite they can have it.

The average woman doesn't feel that she has the time to go to innumerable communal meetings and debate political issues, or yet stand in circles and vote.

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NO VALID ALIBIS FROM POLICEMEN

CHICAGO, March 8. (AP)—Dave Mill, a mounted policeman whose assignment includes keeping autos from parking in front of Central police station, says he hasn't received one valid excuse from many of the 12 policemen he gave tickets for traffic violations.

Mill said when he tagged a policeman's car yesterday, the officer explained "some other driver pushed my car into the no parking area."

Tell it to the judge," was Mill's reply.

Bailey Makes School Bus Applications

Walker Bailey, county school superintendent, visited the Knott, Midway and Vealmoor communities last week working up applications for transportation aid in connection with the state school equalization law.

The present interpretation of the regulation provides \$3 monthly allotment for all high school students who travel more than 2½ miles to classes and \$2.75 for grade school enrollees who travel like distance.

Bailey is planning an itinerary to include all other schools of the county some time this week. When he completes his survey, the information will be consolidated and forwarded to Austin for approval.

Search For Mousetrap Causes Loss By Fire

SHERMAN, March 9 (AP)—B. S. Montgomery blamed a search for a mousetrap for the loss of his 11-room house and furnishings, which burned today.

He told firemen he believed he dropped a match in a dark closet while searching for the trap, and the match started the blaze.

War Assets Offers Number Of Surplus Items For Purchase

DALLAS, March 9. — Several items including an entire synthetic rubber plant a number of airplanes, and surplus machinery from an aircraft plant, have been offered for sale by the War Assets Corporation.

Operated by the Dow Chemical Corporation, the synthetic rubber plant has a rated capacity of 33,000 long tons per year and is located adjacent to the Dow Magnesium Plant at Velasco. It will be either sold or leased, with information supplied at the Regional Office, 723 Main Street in Houston.

Prices of surplus C-60 Lockheed Lodestars, passenger type, have been greatly reduced, according to the condition of the plane. Others for sale include paratrooper and trainer types.

Eighty per cent of the machine tools at North American Aviation plant at Grand Prairie is offered for sale at the plant, spot cash. Valued at \$8,000,000, the machinery includes lathes, drill presses, band saws, shapers, milling machines and surface grinders on a first come, first served basis, with preference going to veterans.

Warsaw's Damages

NEW YORK, March 9. (AP)—A Polish press agency dispatch said today that Warsaw's war damages had been tabulated officially at \$2,126,400,000.



Mrs. John Davis in a Fred A. Block original of Plutonic "grey" soft wool worsted... the stripe in banana.
THE SUIT 79.50
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The first Bible published in the United States was issued from the Harvard college press in 1663.

Dried vegetables were used during the Civil War to prevent scurvy.

Halifax Has Measles; Churchill Exposed

WASHINGTON, March 9 (AP)—Lord Halifax, British ambassador, has the chicken pox and embassy officials have their fingers crossed — hoping Winston Churchill doesn't catch it.

Halifax is confined to the embassy, and Churchill returned there today after a trip to Richmond, Va.

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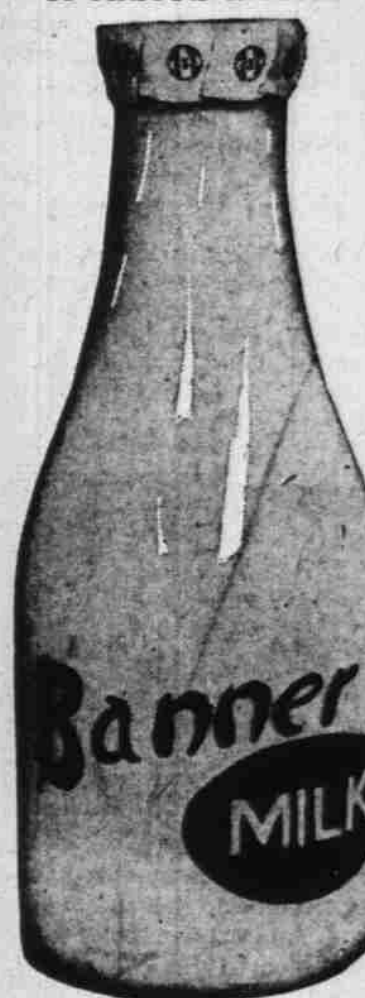
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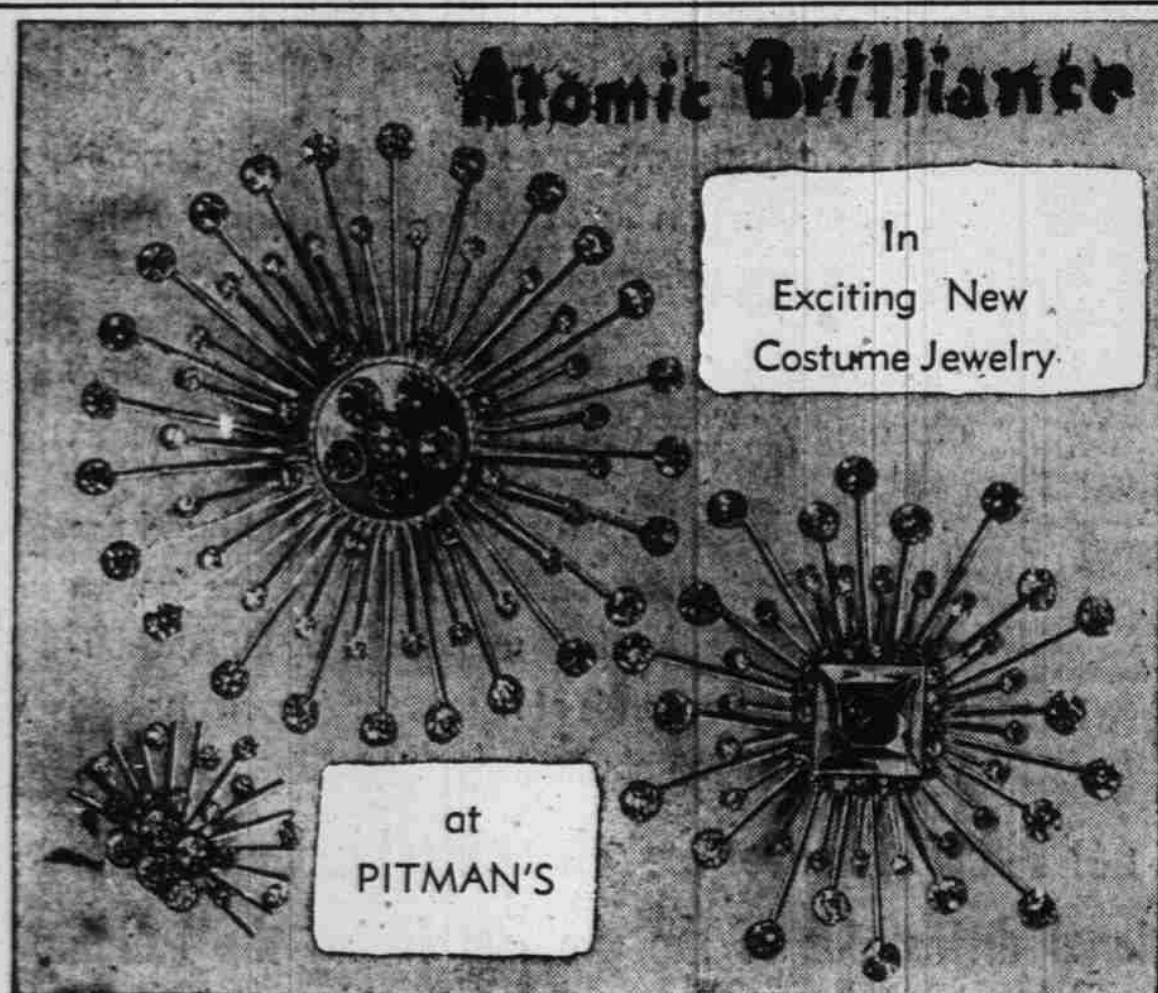
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Miss Patti Toops gaily models this Ira Retner Miller play suit... backless with bolero... in a dusty leaf spring tone. 29.75

