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BORGER CLEAN-UP IS UNDER WAY

MARINES OFF FOR CHINA IN BIG TRANSPORT

Regiment of 1,560 Officers and Men Aboard

EMBASSY IS AGAIN LOOTED

Lutheran Missionary Is Missing, Perhaps Kidnaped

(By The Associated Press.)
SAN DIEGO, April 7.—Bound for Shanghai with 1,560 officers and men the Sixtieth regiment of the United States Marines boarded the Navy transport Henderson today.
The transport dropped its lines at the municipal dock at 8:45 a. m. today and began moving into the channel.

SHANGHAI, April 7.—The soviet consul-general Wilhelm Linde today called upon the Norwegian consul-general following the raiding yesterday of the soviet consulate in Peking. The consuls are reported to have discussed the raids and steps to protest. Yesterday they issued a statement in which they said responsibility or property destruction would be fixed at once.

PEKING, April 7.—Dr. C. P. Friberg, Lutheran missionary of St. Peter Mission, is reported missing in the Northern Henan province and it is feared that he has been captured by bandits.

WASHINGTON, APRIL 7.—Authorization for search by Chinese authorities of certain private properties, including the Dahl bank and Chinese Eastern railway property adjacent to the Russian embassy at Peking was granted yesterday by the Netherland minister as senior diplomat, it became known today.
In the course of the raid, it appears, the Chinese went beyond their authorization and raided also the former Russian legation quarters, lying westward of the private properties in question.

PEKING, April 7.—Wellington Koo tendered his resignation as premier today.
Marshall Chang, General Chang's chief advisor, will become premier.

Sport Fans Will Meet Friday Night To Solve Problems

A mass meeting of the sport lovers of Pampa has been called for Friday night at 8 o'clock in the Chamber of Commerce rooms.

The baseball situation will be talked over. Pampa has a team this year that will beat the best and will be self sustaining, but it requires the sporting men of Pampa to support the nine at the beginning of the season.

With the Amarillo Texans booked for next Tuesday, it is necessary to have a park ready, and this meeting is being called to talk over the situation with the residents of Pampa and show them the plans and specifications of the park.
Cannon and Boone of the Pampa sign shop are painting the signs on the fences and are taking contracts.

Roxana Road Being Dragged Today By C. of C. Teamsters

Mayor F. P. Reid and Secretary W. S. Barcus made a trip through the Roxana field yesterday afternoon in the interest of good roads.
The Chamber of Commerce has employed a man to keep the road from Pampa to Skelly dragged and in good condition.

Storm Damages Fruit Sections Of Five Counties

(By The Associated Press.)
TYLER, April 7.—A destructive hail and rain storm yesterday inflicted heavy damage in sections of Smith, Wood, Harrison, Cherokee and Franklin counties last night.
Reports coming in today indicated that estimates of damage to property and crops will total upwards of \$2,000,000.

The center of the storm apparently in the fruit and berry sections of Smith county.

Roofs were riddled by the hail, which was as large as two inches in diameter. Some small houses were blown from foundations.

Work Trains On Double Track To Be Here Soon

Work on the double track of the Santa Fe is progressing rapidly towards Pampa. Rails have been laid as far as Panhandle and grading operations are within 2 miles of Pampa.

It is expected that work trains will be in Pampa next week and will make their headquarters here to commence laying rails out of Pampa.

The filling in of the proposed park in front of the station platform is nearing completion and the railway company intends sending a top-coat of good soil at a later date. It is proposed to have a driveway and flower beds along the platform.

Banquet Will Be Given Road Men Here April 14

Representatives of the Fort Elliott Highway association will be in Pampa Thursday, April 14. Members will be present from all towns interested in the highway, which runs from Elk City to Amarillo.

F. P. Reid has sent invitations to all towns interested, announcing the business meeting, which will be at 4 p. m. Thursday, and a social program to be held at 8 p. m. A banquet will be tendered the out of town guests.

Best Program Of Series Promised By The C. of C.

Tonight at the Chamber of Commerce rooms the best program of the season will be given by the social committee. There will be something different on the program tonight, and several new artists are assisting the Chamber of Commerce to make the Thursday night concert a success.

The program will commence at 8 o'clock and will be at least one and one half hours in length. A short address will be given during intermission.

Veterans Prepare To Elect Officers

TAMPA, April 7.—Selections of the commander-in-chief and 1928 officers held the attention of Confederate veterans today.

J. M. Foster of Houston and Edgar Taylor of Richmond are prominently mentioned as prospective leaders for the veterans in the coming year.

NO PLOT, BELIEF

APACHE LODGE, Ariz., April 7.—(AP)—Commander Deponido told the Associated Press today that he does not believe that the destruction of his plane yesterday was the result of anti-fascist plot.

WASHINGTON, April 7.—(AP)—Henry Stinson, former secretary of war, was appointed today as special representative of President Coolidge to visit Nicaragua.

Mississippi Levee Break Drives Thousands From Homes



Here is the first picture of the widespread destruction and suffering caused by a break in the Mississippi levee near Laconia, Ark. Large areas inundated by the flood waters and thousands were driven from their homes. This picture shows a refugee camp near Laconia, tents being used as temporary homes. The flood waters are even menacing this camp. At the extreme right an arrow points to a house with the water up to the roof.

Nanking Hero



One of the first American fighting men wounded during the Chinese fighting was Ray D. Plumley, of Ralston, Ia., hero of the evacuation of Nanking. Plumley, a sailor, kept firing after he was wounded by attacking Chinese, until civilians under his care had made their way to safety. Mrs. J. K. Davis, wife of the American consul at Nanking, gives him credit for saving her life.

Trying To Save Dog, a Man Is Killed By Train

(By The Associated Press.)
MAPLEWOOD, N. J., April 7.—Stuart Wells, general sales manager of the Western Electric company, today lost his life in an unsuccessful attempt to save his dog, which was struck by a train and killed.
Wells leaped over the platform in an effort to scare the animal from the track, and was struck by the train and decapitated.

Scouts Lose Return Game To School

The Wolf Patrol lost the return game to the public school yesterday by the score of 5 to 2. The school has a nicely balanced team and is out for more games.
Now that the Grays are at practice, the boys are trying to form a juvenile league.
Batteries for yesterday's game: school, Stokes and Stokes; Scouts, Kidd and Samuel.

Pampa School System To Enter Large Number of Students This Week In Annual Meet At McLean

With a large representation all set for the contests, the Pampa school system will enter the interscholastic league meet at McLean Friday and Saturday with the intention of again taking the major portion of honors.

This year the schools will not lose much through failure to enter certain events, but will enter well-trained individuals in most of the competition.

Individual stars for the track and field events are not as outstanding as they have been in some other years, but loss of a few first places will not endanger the outcome of the meet.

Entrants from the Pampa school system are the following:

- Literary Phase, High School.
Spelling—Ina Mickey and Gladys Carter, seniors; Vivian Vicars and Virginia McMillan, juniors.
Essay writing — high school, Ina Mickey.
Declamations—Boys, Waldo Kretzmeir, Elmer Hardin; girls, Fanabel Smithers, Tommy Tisdale, all seniors.
Extemporaneous speaking—Catharine Vincent.
Debating—Boys, Donald Zimmerman, Harold Holmes; girls, Marjory Parker, Marcella Uttinger.
Literary Events, Grades.
Spelling — Junior, Louise Smith (13), Wilma Washman (13); sub-junior, Mary Clark (9), Grace Kite (9).
Essay writing — Junior, Lucy White (12).
Declamations — Junior boys, Lawrence McMurry (10), H. L. Ledrick Jr., (12), Leo Salsbury (12); alternates; junior girls, Dorothy Donette (13), Gladys Barrett (12); seniors, Susie Bell Hickman (14), Sam Keith (15).
Arithmetic — team: Lucy White, Ruth Weir, Virginia Rose, Yvonne Thomas, Vida Woodworth, Clyde Carter, Giever Carter; individual contest, Lucy White.
Music memory — Virginia Rose (12), Frances Finley (12), Pauline Bernard (13).
Athletic Events, High School.
Tennis—Boys, singles, Albert Lewter; doubles, Albert Lewter, Hugh Moore; girls singles, Lillian Mullinax; doubles, Avis Haskell, Verda Bunker.
Volley ball—girls, Vivian Frazer, Addie Bradford, Margaret Noel, Georgia Sanders, Avis Haskell, Rutha Lester, Gladys Carter, Marcella Uttinger, Georgia Quest, Evelyn Carter, Nurie Haghey, Ruby

Brown, Bonnie Patten, Ruby Jane Brown, Glee Fondeck, Ruth Cloud.

Track and field events — 100-yard dash, Lewter, Maness, Tippen; 120-hurdles, Hardin, A. Walstad, Kahl; 220-dash, Maness, Tippen, Roberts; 220-hurdles, Maness, Tippen, Carlton; 440-dash, Carlton, Roberts, Lewter; 880-run, A. Walstad, G. Walstad, Crall; mile run, A. Walstad, G. Walstad, Hardin; high jump, Tippen, Ayres, Roberts; pole vault, Walstad, Hardin, Clayton; broad jump, Carlton, Walstad, Lewter; javelin, Kahl, Lewter, Hardin; discus, Lewter, G. Walstad, Maness; shot-put, Lewter, Seltz, Crall; mile relay, Maness, Carlton, Lewter, Roberts.

Tennis — boys doubles, Robbie Brown (13), Robert J. Meirs (13); singles, Robbie Brown, Girls doubles, Adell Stone (14), Susie Bell Hickman (14); singles, Ruth Tippen (13).

Play-ground ball—boys, William Finley, Louis Stokes, Leroy Stokely, Walter Heard, Woodrow Weels, Nolan Haleage, Delbert Samsil, Glen Hassels, James King, J. A. Pool, Sam Crowell, Girls, Hazel Fletcher, Lorena Weir, Susie Bell Hickman, Virginia Rose, Hazel Isaac, Adelle Stone, Evelyn Cravy, Lucille Kentling, Pauline Bernard, Yvonne Thomas, Frances Jones, Ruth Tippen.

Track and field events—Joe Kale, L. D. Blanton, Harold Phillips, Howard Hank, Buck Monday, Earl Lynn, Autry Holmes, F. P. Hayse, Donald Kidd, Ralph Poe, Giever Carter.

Plans for Modern School Plant Are Drawn for South Side Ward

A contract for a new South Side ward building will be let within the next few weeks by the school board of the Pampa Independent School district—the structure to be a beautiful one of brick and tile, trimmed with natural stone.

W. R. Kaufman, Amarillo architect, has drawn plans, with several alternatives, on the basis of an expenditure of about \$40,000 with equipment.

The board is now considering several locations for the building. Sewage must be extended to the building site, and this feature of the plans will be submitted soon to the city council.

Inquiries coming in almost daily

200 ORDERED OUT OF CITY IN FIRST MOVES

Hearing For Walkers And Bailey Delayed Here

NEW ATTEMPT THIS EVENING

Scores of Resorts Are Closed In Oil City By Rangers

BORGER, April 7.—Sixty persons are in jail here today, and 200 women have been ordered to leave town.

Sixty slot machines have been confiscated, and all dance halls have been closed.

These results are the first of a clean-up campaign started yesterday by Rangers and local officers as part of a plan to make this oil town a clean city, following recent killings and general disorder.

Adjutant-General Robertson and Boyd Gatewood, the governor's secretary, who left Austin yesterday, have not yet arrived here.

Arrests and other clean-up moves were made quietly, with little disturbance.

Hearing Is Postponed.

Heavily guarded, Hugh and "Whitey" Walker and Ed Bailey were brought here last night for investigation in connection with the robbery of the First National bank a week ago. They were taken back to Stinnett today, following postponement of the hearing.

Attempt at another hearing will start at 8 p. m. here tonight, at a place not to be announced, because the hearing will not be public, officers said. A bail hearing in Stinnett today, however, may affect the holding of arraignments here.

The three men were released yesterday morning on bonds of \$15,000 each, but were re-arrested for holding in connection with the local robbery. Bailey is charged with complicity in the bank looting.

The trio has assembled a heavy legal staff, including J. W. Culwell, Amarillo; J. H. Mathers, Oklahoma City; Holmes and Coffey of Borger, and Whitehead and Robinson of Borger. District Attorney Ernest Douglas is heading the prosecution.

(TURN TO PG. 4 COL. 3 PLEASE)

Oklahoma City Men Will Visit Pampa Oil Field

Pampa will be visited Monday, May 16 by about 150 Oklahoma City business men on their twenty-sixth annual good-will tour.

They intend to be in Pampa from 8:40 to 10:40 a. m., and will make a tour of the city and the oil fields.

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IN THE SPRING

This is clean-up week over the state, and news dispatches show that less talk and more work than usual have characterized the efforts. The third week in April is national clean-up week.

Pampa's city government and people in general can well afford to take some steps to improve this city before hot weather begins. Beauty is not the only consideration, there're flagrant examples of menaces to health which need correction.

Action has been promised on the sewage disposal plant. The city council has ordered the hogs out of the dump grounds, but has taken no steps to see that the order is carried out. However, removal of the dump grounds from the edge of the city, rather than mere closing of the fence while the hogs are out grazing in adjoining pasture, will solve the annoyance.

Restaurant inspection should begin now and continue throughout the summer in a more thorough form than is necessary in winter. The city and county jails should be kept sanitary. The present condition of both are inhumane and dangerously neglected.

In the business district the city ordinances regarding alleys should be strictly enforced. In the homes, screens should be replaced, trash bunched and burned and yards made presentable.

A city-wide campaign, with free removal of trash during the clean-up period, would be a wise move at this time. Civic improvements are under way, but cleanliness and maintenance of healthful conditions are of equal importance. Pampa's responsibilities are no longer those of a small town. Bigger ideas and more careful regulation of public affairs are necessary. Let's have a well-planned clean-up week.

TWINKLES

It looks like every time Borger starts looking for bandits the investigators find something worse.

Civic note: Pampa's cemetery could be better cared for without much effort on the part of any one individual.

It is easy to find fault because it is easy to find faults, but praise is just as easy.

Bringing home the bacon is no longer a laudable pastime on the part of the male—in many cases it's rather absurd, unless he wants to cook his own.

Old Man Texas is pictured as a homely guy, but look at his environment.

And like many homely men, he has many beautiful daughters.

Well, Pampa's new aldermen at least won't break any promises.

Sapiro just comes out and admits he won't work for nothing, and Ford might as well admit he helps the farmers loaf a lot.

Due For His Annual Clean-Up



WASHINGTON LETTER

BY RODNEY DUTCHER, NEA Service Writer.

WASHINGTON.—Speaking of Chinese atrocities, if any, the nationalist movement may be depended upon to frustrate a foreign attempt to inflict one of the worst possible atrocities on China.

This proposed atrocity would have put accidental dress on Chinese women. Such a "civilizing" process has been enthusiastically favored and promoted by Parisian and American dressmakers for many years.

But the movement has never made any headway and now that the nationalist sentiment seems to have gripped China it will have less chance than ever.

Real Knockouts

The fact is, of course, that Chinese girls look by far their best in their own native clothes. Some of them, in their cute little pants and blouses, are absolute knockouts.

But when you get them in modern dresses they look like bad dreams.

As long as the Chinese women continue to be themselves, China will continue to hold her position as one of the romantic areas of the world.

Charles K. Moser, head of the Far Eastern division of the Department of Commerce, who spent years as an American consul in China, doesn't see where there will be any change to western dress in China for the next 300 years, despite the desperate attempts of go-getting business men to open up that market of some 200,000,000 women for the cloak and suit business.

"In the treaty ports, some Chinese women wear foreign dress to foreign parties," he says, "but most of them keep to Chinese costumes."

"At home, all Chinese women dress in Chinese fashions. The better class of Chinese women wear trousers, but they also wear a loose gown over them. Everyone wears trousers in China and both sexes also wear gowns."

There is, however, a market for cosmetics and foreign foot wear, according to Moser. French and American cosmetics are sold in both Chinese and foreign shops.

But although the appeal of foreign brands is finding a wider and wider field, cosmetics are no innovation for the Chinese woman. She has always used rouge, nail polish and pomade. She used vegetable oils on hair and face long before we did.

PRESS FORUM

FEDERAL ROAD AID

The federal government is preparing to distribute \$73,000,000 among the states for road building. The distribution is based on the amount of money spent in the state in constructing paved roads under the supervision of a legal commission.

This plan is widely criticized as paternalistic. Objectors feel that states should build their own roads and relieve the federal government of this expense.

The critic of federal-aid road building misses the point entirely. Federal aid amounts to a rather insignificant sum compared with the total spent for roads in a year. Its chief value is in stimulating road building by the states.

The system of highways now in use in this country, making it possible to drive great distances on hard-surfaced roads, was largely made possible through the stimulus of federal aid. Without it, the demand for paved roads to meet the growing needs of motor transportation would not have been met as well as it has.

Carried to its logical conclusion, the argument that the federal-aid roads system is paternalistic would leave the responsibility for good roads upon each individual. It would mean that each property owner would have to build the highways running by his land or his city or town property as best he could.

If it is paternalism for the federal government to match each state road dollar with a certain amount of money, it is likewise paternalism for the state to tax citizens for funds with which to build roads.

While the federal government is spending \$73,000,000 this year matching the states' road dollars, 47 state highway commissions will be expending \$647,483,000 on highways.

The man who has been ranting about paternalism should remember that he might not have the fine roads to travel on a motor trip that takes him through several states.—Pamhandle Herald.

A titled Englishman complains in the London press that women's voices do not carry well over the telephone. Well, what's wrong with that? — Bartlesville Enterprise.

Only four dishes of a set used at White House banquets have been broken in eight years. None of our presidents has had that execrable habit of practicing golf in the kitchen.—El Reno Daily Democrat.

Amusements

FROM SUBWAY TO SOCIETY

In the old fable it was the wolf who donned sheep's clothing, and so attired wrought havoc in the fold. Arthur Somers Roche has given a new twist to the story by dressing the sheep in wolf's clothing and sending them bodily into the midst of the howling pack of bright Broadway on a New Years Eve. On the fact that each of us combines qualities of both wolf and sheep, depends the hard-knuckled, crazy, happy-go-lucky hodgepodge of mirth and mystery which has developed under the direction of Roy Del Ruth.

Monte Blue has never had a better starring vehicle than "Wolf's Clothing." The role of Barry Balline, the rough-and-ready Westerner, comes to New York to see the sights and thrust into the bowels of the earth, serving long hours seven days a week, then suddenly emerging like a skyrocket for one meteoric sizzling flight—gives him the opportunity for the display of all his funny, fantastic and fistic abilities. The piece is a tie between laughter and thrills.

Patsy Ruth Miller, in support of Mr. Blue, is inimitable as a society girl who goes "slumming" alone and falls in love with the subway guard. In the later sequences which seem to run the scale from the grim to the gay, she gives one of the most amusing and captivating performances of her career. John Miljan as the merry madman, Douglas as the bibulous detective and Lewis Harvey as Vanelli play with humor and understanding. Direction, photography and acting make a splendid evening's diversion. "Wolf's Clothing" comes to the Rex theatre Friday.

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An influential British committee has been formed to oppose proposed changes in the Church of England prayerbook.

Compulsory periodic examinations of all automobiles in use is being sponsored by leading motor car company executives.

MOLINE Plow Demonstration

We will demonstrate the Moline 10-ft., double frame, one-way disc plow Saturday, April 10, on the T. C. Neil farm one mile southwest of Pampa, Texas.

We cordially invite the farmers to come out and see this new type of plow, actually at work. We are sure that you will be surprised with the performance of this piece of machinery, for the Moline Plow company has made a wonderful stride toward perfecting a plow that will meet the wheat farmers' particular need and demand.

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Sport Columns

Knock-Out One Of Thrills Here At Boxing Matches

Showing speed, hitting power, and a knowledge of the manly art, Charles Austin kayoed Speedy Moore in the fourth round of a scheduled eight round bout at George Hellman's second boxing exhibition last night in the skating rink.

Before a good crowd, two newsboys gave the best exhibition of the evening. They stood toe-to-toe and slugged for three rounds with the result a draw. Two other preliminaries preceded the feature bouts.

The semi-wind-up was fast and furious until the fourth when Austin showed his class and won by a K. O.

The final ten-round bout went to the finish with Herndon of Roxana receiving a decision over Walters of El Paso. They stepped into the ring weighing 155 pounds each and were fairly evenly matched, but the Roxana boy knew a little more about boxing than his opponent.

Mostil To Recover But Play Doubtful

SHREVEPORT, La.—John Mostil, victim of self-inflicted knife wounds, is able to sit up in a Shreveport hospital and will probably get well. But returning to baseball is another matter.

Some of the White Sox athletes believe he will be able to get back in the game, but the majority are inclined to a conviction that his baseball playing days are over. Mostil, one of the greatest outfielders of the game, never knew how good he really was, and although he has known no serious competition for his place since he became a regular, he is said to have considered his hold on center field precarious at all times.

Oosterbaan On Five Championship Teams

ANN ARBOR, Mich.—Bennie Oosterbaan has won his fifth letter at the University of Michigan and with it his fifth championship.

Every team he has played on has won a Western Conference title. He now has two gold footballs, two gold basketballs and a gold baseball. Both footballs bear spread eagles denoting his choice as an all-American player. In adding his second basketball token, he led the conference in field goals with fifty. He has two more seasons of baseball and another season of football and basketball.

Rope-Climbing Bad For Girls Is Claim

PARIS—Rope-climbing, one of the most generally prescribed exercises in French elementary schools, is being criticized by women instructors as rather hard for girls. Physical culture enthusiasts were so glad to have any muscle-building program in the schools that heretofore they have kept quiet.

Rope-climbing is considered ideal by its supporters because the installation is cheap and French cultivate their legs by much walking and stair climbing.

Willie Ritchie May Attempt a Come-Back

SAN FRANCISCO—The question that agitates every ex-champion until it is answered by a flattening punch is permeating the mind of Willie Ritchie, former lightweight champion of the world.

It is, "Can I come back?" The defeat Willie received three years ago from Jack Simonich was not decisive to quell his longing to get back into the game now that

purses are long and bouts are short. Consequently he has been training in secret—boxing, playing handball, punching the bag and skipping rope. He is 36 years old, has never dissipated, says he is in fine physical condition and believes he will know by the middle of April whether he will make the try.

Uncertainty Marks Southern Baseball

ATLANTA—More uncertainty than ever before permeates the "dope" on the approaching Southern Association baseball race.

The chief reason is the large turn over of players last season and the consequent appearance of many new faces in the line-ups. Nearly every Southern Association club is drawing on the major league camps for material.

Even Larry Gilbert, manager of the New Orleans championship club, will have only three of his 1926 regulars to start the new season. Johnny Doggs, pilot of Birmingham, is getting recruits from the Washington Senators, while Bert Niehoff of Atlanta also is drawing on them and the New York Yankees.

Quarter Mile Champ Seeks Mark In Half

INDIANAPOLIS—Twice national quarter-mile champion Herman Phillips of Rushville, Ind., captain of the Butler College track team has turned his attention this spring to the half-mile run.

He is the only remnant of the famous Butler track team which won honors two years ago in almost every national event. His best mark is 45 7-10 seconds in the quarter mile, made at the national inter-collegiate games in Chicago last year. He won the same event in the year before. Phillips also stars in the broad jump.

Audible Light Ray To Aid Army In War

(By The Associated Press.) WASHINGTON, April 7.—An invisible ray, emitted from a light bulb, but having no effect on vision will probably be used for signalling between American field forces in any future war.

The messages it will convey will be protected from enemy detection even more efficiently than those communicated by radio or wire, but it has an operating distance of only about three miles. Another queer thing about the device is that its rays will be transmitted to the recipient as audible signals.

As developed by the Bureau of Standards the device permits utilization of the "infra red" part of the "dark" rays emitted by light, which produce no impression of color or light but do transmit heat. A 300-candlepower electric bulb is completely screened against the emission of any rays which are visible as light, but the "infra red" rays are allowed to escape and are focused with a mirror.

Thus concentrated, the rays are trained upon a receiver, a contrivance equipped with a number of electrical attachments, and are blinked off and on. As that is done, an operator with telephone headphones attached to the receiver will hear dots and dashes, which can be manipulated into the usual telegraphic code.

The process can go on by night or day, and under the full observance of an enemy, so long as the receiving and sending stations have an unobstructed line between them. An enemy passing between them would be unconscious of the signalling even though he should pass through the beam, for nothing is transmitted except a tiny wave of heat, so small as to be entirely imperceptible.

NEWS WANT ADS PAY

SEEN About New York

NEW YORK, April 7.—There are two sets of prices for hothouse flowers from the same florists' shops in New York.

Street vendors sell bouquets for almost nothing, but purchasers are likely to find that they wilt with surprising rapidity. The vendors buy them from florists after they have been on display several days.

Sign of a house for sale: "Perfectly arranged for social club or sanitarium".

The old confidence games still work in New York. Family jewels and heirlooms made in New Jersey "for the trade" still find a ready market, but perhaps the "stolen fur piece," devised to trick the "smart guys", is a more flourishing trick.

A roughly clad individual with a small car parked at the corner, makes mysterious sounds and signals to a passerby. He explains that he has an expensive stolen fur piece which he will sell at a fraction of its value. If the "sucker" bites, the seller moves on to another corner and begins fishing again. And the victim is afraid to complain to police when he learns the real value of the fur.

Most buyers of Brooklyn bridge and the Metropolitan museum come from elsewhere, which is surprising as many New Yorkers are only slightly acquainted with points of interest, since the usually see them only when they have visitors.

It is said that New York is the easiest place in the world to attract a crowd and there have been demonstrations by persons who gazed into the sky, to see how many "others" would follow suit.

But the other day a sky gazer nearly blocked traffic on Madison avenue by gazing upward at a flock of geese. Soon the curb was lined, and there was more interest in the north-bound birds than if the V formation had been composed of airplanes.

The work of women teachers in Italian schools is being criticized severely by Italian government officials.

BABIES SWAMP TEXAS STEEL MAN; PROMISE COSTS \$2,400 IN 1926

(By The Associated Press.)

HOUSTON, April 7.—Corporations which encourage babies perform a real service in the promotion of both corporate and human relation, believes C. A. Peden. As president of a Houston iron and steel company, Peden apparently has introduced a new wrinkle in binding closer together the 200 white employees of the concern and its officials.

A promise of \$100 for each 1926 baby, first announced a year ago, cost him \$2,400 when he paid the bill for what might be termed the Peden Baby Futurity.

Mr. Peden had been appraised from time to time of baby arrivals among his employes, but the full significance of what he had let himself in for apparently escaped him. When he suddenly was confronted with 17 of the 21 Houston babies and told of two others in San Antonio and a twenty-fourth in the family of an employe in Mexico City, he quickly saw that his personal purse was to be hard hit.

Without warning, Peden was ushered into one of the plant buildings where the babies and their mothers were stationed. He then recognized the significance but after a moments hesitation rose to the emergency. He declared he still had the same enthusiasm about babies but would be compelled to modify the 1927 offer and limit it to \$25 a baby because it was a private gift and not a corporate benefaction. He said he hoped to increase the amount to the original \$100 within a year or two.

Mr. Peden was inspired to make his \$100 offer at a gathering of Peden employes in January, 1926.

"Do you know, boys," he said as he looked them over, "this is such a fine looking lot of men that I'd kind

of like the see their kind increase in the world. I'll tell you what I'll do just to help things along a little. I'll give \$100 for every baby born to a white employe—I must make that reservation—of the Peden company in 1926."

A little more than a year later he was \$2,400 poorer in money but believed it had paid large dividends in

promotion of friendliness between employer and employe. Of the 24 babies, seven were boys.

YANKS TRACE PEDIGREES

DUBLIN, Irish Free State—More than half of the letters received at Dublin Castle are from Americans of Irish descent who are eager to trace their pedigrees and learn if their families had coats of arms.

Major Sir Neville Wilkinson, Ulster King at Arms and Registrar of the Order of St. Patrick since 1908, has a large force of assistants on hand to supply the information.

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When Nature Speaks the World Tunes In

The voices of spring are calling not only to the green verdure of vegetation, not only is it heard by the mating creatures of the animal kingdom, but to the silent forces that bind the tissues and fabrics of inanimate things comes the same urgent call.

Tires that have withstood the shocks and rocks during the cooler months without any sign of protest, rebel at the heated roads of April, and without warning, resign with the dead season, leaving their place to the FRESH AND NEW.

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By way of apology to those who could not obtain entrance to our store at the opening of our great Bankrupt Stock Sale Thursday morning, we wish to announce that there are still some wonderful bargains left, and the sale is going on in a big way.

We are indeed grateful to those of that purchasing crowd that thronged our store all day Thursday, and we are glad to say with a feeling of assurance that never before has the buying public bought such bargains in the city of Pampa.

If for any reason you have failed to visit our place during this sale, by all means do so within the next few days, for merchandise that is priced for less than half of original cost can't last long.

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SOCIAL NEWS (Phone 72 Mornings)

Mrs. Nicholson Leads Study

The Bible Study club of the Methodist Missionary society had regular meeting Wednesday afternoon at the church. The lesson was led by Mrs. C. T. Nicholson. A very interesting lesson was enjoyed by the eighteen members that were present.

Mr. and Mrs. Younger Are Honored Here

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Younger of Holdrege, Neb., were honored guests Friday night when Mr. and Mrs. Joe Johnson and Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Coffee entertained with bridge at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Coffee. After a delightful evening refreshments were served to the following: Messrs. and Mesdames M. Howard, John Studer, P. O. Saunders, W. H. Johns, Wade Duncan, Raymond Harrah, Joe Johnson, W. E. Coffee, and Miss Bernice Johnson.

Auxiliary Will Have Food Sale

The Woman's Auxiliary of the Presbyterian church met Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. W. W. Merten. During the business session the members voted to hold an Easter cooked-food sale, Saturday, April 16. Plans were discussed relative to a rummage sale, which will be held in the near future. A social time was greatly enjoyed after the business was disposed of, and a delicious salad course was served to 15 members.

W. M. U. Receives Cook Books

The Woman's Missionary union of the Baptist church met Wednesday afternoon at the church and enjoyed a very interesting lesson, which was led by Mrs. T. B. Solomon. The cook books were received and any one wishing a book can see any member of the W. M. U. and get theirs. Fourteen members were present.

Madame Jan Masaryk Popular In London

LONDON.—Being a part of a diplomatic set is not a new life for Madame Jan Masaryk, wife of the Czecho-Slovakian minister to Great Britain and daughter-in-law of the president of the Czecho-Slovakian republic. Madame Masaryk is the daughter of Charles R. Crane of Chicago, former American minister to China and a sister of Richard Crane, former American minister at Prague. Madame Masaryk takes a prominent place among the American wives of foreign diplomats in London.

Mrs. J. A. Hill and daughters, Hazel and Louise, will arrive Sunday from Abilene to make their future home in Pampa.

Won't Change Mind Even For Big Salary

SAN FRANCISCO.—Speculation in a new business venture is preferable to the certainty of a salaried position, even one paying more than \$75,000 yearly. This is the belief of Miss Mary Ennis who chose the uncertain secretaryship of a chain of department stores on the Pacific coast rather than reverse her decision and continue as advertising manager of a store which offered her a salary larger than that of the President of the United States. "I had made up my mind to leave," she says without regret. "The business woman, properly trained, can make up her mind as quickly and as decisively as a man. Women can succeed in executive management. A combination of feminine and masculine minds is invaluable in merchandising, for women carry through after men have begun to tire of the endless details in a big decision." While Miss Ennis was advertising manager her former firm increased its business 2,000,000 dollars in one year.

French Actress Is Dressmaker As Well

PARIS.—Martha Regnier, French actress now playing in "Her Husband" in Paris, is just as well known as a dressmaker and milliner as a stage star. Madame Regnier not only designed her own costumes for the present play in which she is appearing but created the wardrobes of her associates as well.

PERSONAL MENTION

Mrs. E. E. Fisher is ill at her home in East Pampa.

Mr. and Mrs. Roger McConnell spent Tuesday in Amarillo.

Mrs. Bush Haggard of Kraft's Mint store is home ill.

Mrs. I. N. White, affectionately known as "Grandma White," who has been ill for the past ten days at the home of her daughter, Mrs. P. C. Ledrick, is improving.

Mrs. J. M. Dodson and Mrs. M. Howard were visitors in Amarillo Wednesday.

Master Howard Zimmerman is seriously ill with pneumonia following an attack of the measles.

Rev. and Mrs. Hicks returned Wednesday from a few days visit with friends in Memphis.

W. L. Woodward left Wednesday for a business trip to Oklahoma City, Okla.

State Is Cleaning Up This Week In Annual Campaign

(By The Associated Press.) AUSTIN, April 7.—Texas will be "spick" up one side and "span" down the other if hopes of the state board of health for success of the state wide clean-up week April 3 to 9 are realized.

Through cooperation of the local health agents, speakers and the newspapers, the boards has sowed the seeds of a wide epidemic of general house-cleaning, repairing, trash burning, flower planting and other civic improvements.

Health as well as sightliness will be given a boost, Dr. J. C. Anderson, state health officer thinks. He tells of novel stunts and prize contests held in many towns to stimulate clean-up enterprise, especially among school children.

Special fleets of trucks and other vehicles will be provided in some of the larger towns to haul off the overflow collection of trash expected to result from concentration of clean-up activities.

Dr. Anderson has asked city and county health officers to check up conditions at swimming, fishing and camping resorts and make reports to determine whether they are up to the state board of standards in the way of sanitation.

Noting approach of the outing season and consequent increased danger of typhoid fever, the health board also has initiated a state-wide campaign for prevention by vaccination and keeping drinking water sources pure.

Borger Clean-Up Is Under Way

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Murder counts, growing out of the deaths of two Borger deputies, also are placed against the men. They Deep suppressed excitement participants in the robbery here, and the outcome of the hearing is in doubt.

Jails Too Small

Deep but suppressed excitement ruled Borger last night, when more than 200 arrests were made and many of the underworld institutions were rooted out. Lacking jail facilities, officers gave scores of undesirables a few hours to leave town, and a general exodus from the oil city was under way today, as the ousted individuals scattered over the Plains and left for other states.

For the first time in months, the dance halls were dark and unused last night.

Persistent report that Borger would be placed under martial law were quieted somewhat when the Borger Chamber of Commerce placed an emphatic protest against the move.

Mayor Miller, however, issued a sweeping proclamation calling upon the citizenship to support a clean-up and ordering the closing of various resorts.

Livestock Higher This Week On The Kansas City Market

KANSAS CITY STOCK YARDS, April 7.—Fat cattle were strong to 15 cents higher, hogs up 10 to 25 cents, and lambs strong to 50 cents higher. The advance in fat cattle took the market into a new high position for the year and spring lambs sold higher than at any previous time in the past two years. Hogs are 50 to 65 cents above the low point of the season reported last Wednesday. Killers are anticipating an increased demand for meats at the close of the Lenten season the middle of April and their active buying is to prepare for that time.

Receipts today were 14,000 cattle, 3,500 hogs and 7,000 sheep compared with 14,000 cattle, 17,000 hogs and 5,000 sheep a week ago, and 9,700 cattle, 6,685 hogs and 8,300 sheep a year ago.

Cattle prices advanced sharply last week and today the market was strong to 15 cents higher and in a new high position for the year. Compared with a year ago the market is fully \$2 higher. At current prices feeders are making a fairly good profit. Indications are that receipts will remain moderate so that a continuation of an active demand can be expected. Today good to choice steers in practically all weights sold at \$11 to \$12. Nothing with outstanding finish was offered. Prime kinds would have brought \$13.25 had they been offered. Fair to good sold at \$9.75 to \$11. The top for western fed steers was \$12 and southern steers sold at \$7.50 to \$10. Cows and heifers were stronger. Veal calves are 50 cents higher than last week's low point. Bulls were quoted up 10 to 15 cents.

Prices for stockers and feeders were steady except for some of the plain fleshy kinds which were quoted off 10 to 15 cents. Some of the southern cattle are beginning to show a grass-ill and on that account were quoted slightly lower. The good choice classes are fully steady.

Hog prices were 10 to 25 cents higher today than last week's close and 50 to 60 cents above the low point last week. Receipts show a material decrease compared with a week ago and the market seems to be in a position for a further advance. Today 140 to 170 pound hogs sold at \$11.50 to \$11.85; 170 to 230 pounds \$11.10 to \$11.60; 230 to 260 pounds \$10.85 to \$11.10; 260 to 300 pounds \$10.50 to \$10.90; packing sows \$9.25 to \$10; stock hogs and pigs were higher at \$11.75 to \$12.75.

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Wool lambs were strong to 15 cents higher, spring lambs 50 cents higher, and fat sheep 25 cents higher. Spring lambs sold at \$17.50 to \$18, the highest price in two years. Wool lambs brought \$15.50 to \$15.65; shorn lambs \$14 to \$14.25; yearlings \$12 to \$13.50; wethers, in fleece \$10 to \$11.25; shorn \$9.50; ewes \$9 to \$10. Spring lambs in time for the Easter trade should be marketed this week or early next week. Demand for horses and mules continues active at strong prices.

Mrs. G. C. Malone and son, Harold, returned Wednesday from Rochester, Minn., where Harold has been under treatments of Mayo brothers, after having an operation on his leg. Harold is greatly improved and his many friends are glad to have him back home.

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