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Germany had a warning from Viscount Halifax, foreign secretary, who told the House of Lords that if Adolf Hitler wants to keep peace he must respect his peaceful assurances to Czechoslovakia. Halifax scored Germany's annexation of Austria as "ruthless application of power politics" and added: "By those assurances (that Czechoslovakia) frontiers would not be violated, solemnly given, and more than once repeated, we naturally expect the German government to abide."

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The children ranged from five to 13 years of age. They were: Marcie Jack, five, boy; Margie Lee, seven; Robert, nine; Billie Burke, 10, girl; Gloria Jean, 11; T. O. Curtis, 13. Justice of the Peace Ben Eddins who returned an inquest verdict of "death at the hands of Lillie May Curtis" in each case, said the children were lying dead in their beds in one room when he arrived at the scene about midnight. Sheriff J. B. Sample was summoned by one of the older children, Travis, 16, who was spared, the mother said, "because he could take care of himself." Sheriff Sample said he found the woman alone in the woods 400 yards from the scene of the slaughter.

Slew Her Husband. A mass funeral for the child victims was set for 10 a. m. tomorrow at West Hamilton. Surviving children were Travis, another boy who was at his grandfather's home, and a married daughter who resides here. Mrs. Curtis, convicted in 1935 for the slaying of her husband while he lay asleep at the farm home, appeared calm as she awaited in jail for the grand jury's action. Lane said testimony at the 1935

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(By The Associated Press)

British Prime Minister Chamberlain—his "realistic" hope of docking for peace with dictators withered by the heat of a great war scare—seemed threatened with a cabinet crisis unless he adopts a more positive stand regarding Spain and Czechoslovakia.

A demand by War Secretary Leslie Hore-Belisha was said by informed sources to have confronted Chamberlain with a virtual ultimatum, in effect: Assure Czechoslovakia that Britain will stand with France in armed protection against any German aggression and do something to help forestall establishment of a German-Italian foothold in Spain or resign. The internal British strain foreshadowed the possible recall of Earl Baldwin, Chamberlain's predecessor, and Anthony Eden, his former foreign secretary. Hore-Belisha was said to be sup-

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By E. BROWNWOOD EMERSON. There's little of the Emerald Isle atmosphere in the capital city of the Top O' Texas. Faith, there'll be shamrocks on many a coat today, and a big crowd of Pampans were in Shamrock to help Sol O'Blomstein and his co-workers celebrate the anniversary of Ireland's patron saint, but in this city with a Spanish name, a few noses of the "little bit of heaven" can be found.

No street in Pampa has a distinctive Irish name. The city directory has five names that are prefixed with the O and apostrophe: O'Dell, O'Donnell, O'Grady, O'Keefe, O'Daniel. There are other Irish names, of course, than these that begin with an O, such as Flaherty and Flanagan, and a half-dozen Sullivans.

An Irish flag has yet to be seen in Pampa and one would be inclined to delete "Eire" from the proper name for Ireland, and make it "Erin."

Now About St. Pat. Legends about St. Patrick, the figure around whom revolve all the myths of "chasing the snakes out of Ireland" and this periodic "wearing

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Irish floats, comic stunts, beautiful girls, school choruses, children with pets, and 12 bands, led by Girls Killie Band of Oklahoma City, Glenn Truax and E. K. Caperton in charge.

1:30 p. m.—Fiddling contest at Texas theatre. \$15 prizes, no entrance fee. J. R. Brown in charge. 1:30 p. m.—Hoveshoe pitching contest, north of Ford garage. \$7.50 in prizes. B. F. Kersh in charge. 2:30 p. m.—Massed band concert of 500 pieces, made up of Shamrock and visiting bands. Also marching demonstration. Denver field. 3:00 p. m.—Exhibition of Football as played in "Ould Erje" by former grid stars of Panhandle, Denver field. G. B. Rush in charge. 4:00 p. m.—Amateur boxing matches. High school gymnasium. G. B. Rush in charge. 5:00 p. m.—Lecture on Irish history by Rev. Father James L. Daly

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Firemen battled the blaze for more than four hours before they were able to enter the building. After smoke and steam had cleared away, it was discovered that some furniture at the front of the store can be salvaged. It was damaged only by smoke and water, Chief White said today. Loss to contents was estimated by Mrs. Lela Mann, owner, at about \$25,000, with a possibility that a small salvage would be possible. The building was insured for \$5,000 but only \$1,000 was carried on the contents.

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The seventeenth is a national holiday for Ireland—a period first of worship at masses throughout the land and then of whole-hearted celebration. Every Catholic Irishman is proudly sporting a sprig of the lovely Shamrock and looking the universe straight in the eye. Do you know, by the way, how the Shamrock came to be the national Irish symbol? Well, it was because St. Patrick, "Apostle of Ireland," used the three wee leaves as illustration of the Trinity. Down in County Wexford there is what they call a red shamrock. They say it is the ordinary green shamrock dipped in the blood of the martyrs of Wexford's rebellions against the English.

The ancient Irish bards called their country the land of the young. And they were right. Why, they'll even be telling true fairy tales tonight as they sit about the open fires of sweet-scented peat in their cottages. Of course they believe in them. If you don't believe in fairies, then the Irish blood runs thin in your veins, and the shamrock means no more to you than does a common clover leaf. Listen to sweet Patricia Walsh, a lass of County Kildare, who you doubt that fairies exist. She wrote me about them in her own childish hand. It came about like this: Patricia went on a picnic with her nurse in the fields. The lass was warned not to go into the woods "for their are jipeys in it," but she forgot when she saw a butterfly with "a lovely colored back" and gave chase. She followed it into the woods and feel asleep on the soft moss. Then says the small lady:

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BARCELONA, March 17 (AP) Nine insurgent air raids took well over 300 lives last night and today in this metropolitan capital. One bomb shattered windows in the United States embassy.

Hundreds were wounded in a series of bombardments which shook the city at intervals during 16 hours. Casualty lists were incomplete. A bomb fell near the United States embassy in the ninth raid, which came at 1:50 p. m.—the third daylight assault. The building was jarred and windows were blown in. Col. Stephen O. Fuqua, military attaché, alone in the building at the time, was shaken but not hurt. Charge D'affaires Walter D. Thurston said new temporary quarters would be taken immediately.

Hospitals were still too busy caring for the wounded to issue an official count of the dead but private sources estimated between 50 and 60 died in the ninth rain of bombs. Deaths in the previous eight bombardments had been set at 284.

Many In Streets. Thousands of persons were on the streets when Generalissimo Francisco Franco's airmen struck for the ninth time. The stricken city was cleaning up the debris, gathering bodies and caring for the wounded of six nighttime attacks when the daylight bombardment started.

At 7:45 a. m. (2:45 a. m. C. S. T.) came a new rain of death from the skies. Rescue squads rushed out to probe the debris, only to be driven to cover when bombs started falling again in the central part of the city. In this eighth raid explosives blasted apart homes in a poor residential district. There five or six

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MIND your MANNERS

Test your knowledge of correct social usage by answering the following questions. Then check against the authoritative answers below:

1. Should a house guest volunteer to help a hostess who has no maid?
2. Are artichokes served whole at formal dinners?
3. How does one eat the heart of an artichoke?
4. Must one answer an invitation to a tea?
5. At a luncheon should one wait for the guest of honor to go into the dining room first?

Answers:

1. Yes.
2. No, just the hearts.
3. With a fork.
4. No.
5. Yes.

Study of Women and Home Missions Continued by WMS

McCullough - Harrah. Woman's Missionary society met with Mrs. C. D. Harris Monday afternoon for a continuation of the study of "Women and Home Missions" under the direction of the study leader, Mrs. H. H. Bratcher.

Assisting Mrs. Bratcher were Mrs. C. D. Harris, who spoke on "Entering the Industrial and Rural Sections;" Mrs. E. H. Johnson, "Mining Districts and Oil Fields;" Mrs. E. M. Franklin, "Agricultural Centers;" Mrs. Kit Autrey; "Toward a Better Understanding;" and Mrs. Bratcher spoke on "Opening Negro Work."

Royal Service Topic of Lesson At Calvary WMS

Thirteen ladies were present for the program from the Royal Service magazine which was rendered at the meeting of the Calvary Baptist Women's Missionary society.

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HARRY DAVENPORT

Also
Trouble in Toyland
Universal News

FLAPPER FANNY

By Sylvia



"Do you know the one from 'Rigoletto'?"

Garden Club Will Give Cherry Trees To Children

The Pampa Garden club announced that cherry trees are to be given all first grade children this month. These trees, given annually, are judged the next year and prizes are given for the largest and best developed tree.

Parents should have decided where these trees are to go, and be ready to cooperate with the children when they take the plants home. This year they will be seedlings, necessary in order to afford such an excellent variety of fruit and they can be placed in a sheltered spot now if desired and transplanted very easily next year.

Mrs. W. D. Kelley gave an interesting talk taken from "My Garden Helper," a book put out by Better Homes and Gardens magazine, using the chapter on "What to Do in March." This is the month for comany sprays of oil and lime sulphur to be applied before the buds start growing.

Annual flower seeds may be sown partly now and the rest in April. Kerria spirea, Anthony waterer, hydrangea, dog-wood, vitex, and hibiscus should be severely pruned. Let's this month or early in April, hybrid tea roses should be pruned back to six inches. All kinds of shrubs, hedges, evergreens, fruit trees, grapes, and dormant roses should be planted as soon as frost is out of the ground. Build arbors and walks now, and train vines over arbors already built.

For the rock-garden alpine, plant seeds can be planted and let outside covered with burlap. Freezing will even aid germination. Water the ever greens, clean iris beds, and plant lily bulbs by the end of the month, the club suggested. Sweet peas should be planted as early as possible.

Mrs. Ewing Leech gave another "Nomenclature Lesson," stressing the pronunciation of diphthongs as three syllables instead of two.

Mrs. Lee Waggoner gave a talk on "Picnic Areas in Your Garden." Anyone interested in building a fire place or other garden spots can find information at the Pampa Public Library on the garden shelf maintained by the Pampa Garden club.

Mrs. Shelton Feted At Surprise Shower On 73rd Birthday

A surprise birthday shower was given in honor of Mrs. W. R. Shelton on her 73rd birthday at the home of her daughter, Mrs. G. L. Holmes, south of Kingsmill, on Monday.

Mrs. Shelton and daughter, Miss Pearl Shelton, have been visiting with Mrs. Holmes and Mrs. Fred Paronto, who is a daughter and sister of the Mrs. Sheltons, for the past six months, are leaving for their home in Ava, Missouri, April the first.

Those attending the shower were Mmes. George Farley, H. R. Hudson, W. D. Randall, Pearl White, Fred Paronto, W. R. Shelton, G. L. Holmes, Lawrence Paronto, Pearl Shelton, W. W. Poppell, C. B. Bell, Flora Powell, Ben Browder, N. L. Welton, C. W. Masters, M. B. Reed, L. A. Brown, S. C. Shook, Lee Coble, B. L. Cole, H. E. Comstock, J. L. Cooper, C. H. Potter, Belle Potter, E. F. Barnett, R. O. Edwards, A. J. Dickerson, L. H. Cooper, and Miss Edith Bell.

Gifts were sent by Mmes. Ed Baird, John Rhode, J. R. Moore, Mary Cole, Ida Shelton, Pampa, Roy Holmes, Mmes. Esther and Geneva Shelton of Phoenix, Arizona.

Nation's Capital Theme of Program

SKELLYTOWN, March 17.—"Washington, Our Nation's Capital," was the theme of the program Tuesday afternoon, when members of the Sunshine Home Demonstration club of Skellytown met at the home of Mrs. Arvil Williams.

Woodrow Wilson P-TA Has Largest Study Course Group

Woodrow Wilson Parent-Teacher association had the largest number in the county to complete the study course taught from the Parent-Teacher manual. Mrs. W. A. Breining was instructor in the series.

New Officers Will Be Announced at LeFors P-TA Meeting

LEFORS, March 17.—Those who attend the meeting of the LeFors P-T. A. on Thursday night, March 17, will hear a report of the nominating committee. The committee, consisting of Mrs. W. C. Breining, Mrs. Scott Hill, and Miss Vera Carpenter, has chosen people whom they think can fulfill the tasks given them in P-T. A. work for next year.

At this meeting there is to be an instructional program arranged by members of the faculty. Francis Smith will act as leader in this "Faculty Night" program. Horace Duncan will conduct a panel discussion, "Modern School Trends in Education."

Parties Planned At Thimblette Sewing Club Meeting

Thimblette Sewing club met in the home of Mrs. Frank Carpenter in LeFors Monday afternoon with 16 members present. Each took a gift for the hostess.

Mrs. Salmon Hostess To Intermediate G. A. Girls Recently

Intermediate G. A. Girls of the First Baptist church met Tuesday for a program which was opened with a prayer by Mrs. L. M. Salmon. An interesting program was given by Doris Roundtree and Virginia Covington. The group will meet at the home of the leader, Mrs. Salmon, on all intermediate girls are urged to be present.

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Program Chairman



Mrs. A. L. Burge, program chairman of Woodrow Wilson Parent-Teacher association, has taken an active part in all programs presented at the school this year.

Glorifying Yourself

Along about this time of year smart women begin to look around for lightly scented colognes and toilet waters to substitute for winter perfume.

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in

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Friday and Saturday

BUCK JONES

"ROUGH RIDIN' RHYTHM"

Spirit of Music Directs Work at School and Home

Music has become well established as an important factor in public education. Music is an expression of the rest of life of the true art of living. Miss Charlotte Raliff of the Woodrow Wilson school has pointed out in a paper on music.

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Mrs. J. F. Curtis, who is membership chairman of the Woodrow Wilson Parent-Teacher association, also has worked on the publicity committee at that school.

The Social CALENDAR

THURSDAY

A party will be given for the young people's department of the First Methodist church at 7:30 o'clock at the home of Doris Hill, 305 North Front street. All members and their guests are urged to be present.

FRIDAY

Priscilla Home Demonstration club will meet with Mrs. J. L. Strope at 2:30 o'clock.

ESTER club will have a bingo party at 7:30 o'clock in the I. O. O. F. hall.

Royal Neighbors will meet at 2 o'clock in the Legion hut.

A combined regular and social meeting of the Order of the Eastern Star will be held in the Masonic hall at 8 o'clock. The deputy grand matron will make her official visit.

Busy Doves Sewing club will meet at 2 o'clock in the home of Mrs. Lewis Tarpley, 1405 East Francis.

SATURDAY

Treble Clef club will have a regular practice in the city club rooms at 2:30 o'clock.

SHORT ILLNESS FATAL TO MRS. LENA BENTON

Mrs. Lena Benton, 29, died last night at 9:30 o'clock at her home here after a short illness. She had been a resident of Pampa for 10 years.

Ireland, Indiana Also Celebrates Absence of Snakes

Ireland, Ind., March 17. (AP)—There isn't a Bridget or Michael in this German populated town of 275, but every German and Frieda were green today in honor of John Stewart, this Ireland's St. Patrick.

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HULL DEMANDS ARMED FORCE FOR AMERICA

WASHINGTON, March 17. (P)—Secretary of State Hull, declaring America must hold to its rights in its quest for world peace, laid down today a policy of arming for protection against "international lawlessness."

"It is my considered judgment that, in the present state of world affairs, to do less than is now proposed would lay our country open to unpredictable hazards," he said, referring to the naval expansion program.

Hull treated, in measured phrases, every aspect of the world situation in an address before the National Press club. His speech went over an international radio hookup to a world disturbed by the spectre of war in Europe and Asia.

"The momentous question," he said, "is whether the doctrine of force shall become enthroned once more and bring in its wake, inexorable, international anarchy and a relapse into barbarism."

The cabinet officer, as America's chief foreign minister, expounded a policy of peace, no alliances, collaboration with peaceful nations, military preparation, and opposition to the "isolationist viewpoint."

"We may seek to withdraw from participation in world affairs," he said, "but we can not thereby withdraw from the world itself. Isolation is not a means of security; it is a fruitful source of insecurity."

Hull expressed "our deep concern over the rising tide of lawlessness, the growing disregard of treaties, the increasing reversion to the use of force, and the numerous other ominous tendencies which are emerging in the sphere of international relations."

He did not refer to any nation by name, but his implication with regard to legal recognition of Austria's absorption by Germany and Japan's expansion in China was clear to his listeners when he said:

"To waive right and permit interests to lapse in the face of their actual threatened violation—and thereby to abandon obligations—in any important area of the world, can serve only to encourage disregard of law and of the basic principles of international order, and thus contribute to the inevitable spread of international anarchy throughout the world."

Secretary Hull, flanked by officials of the state department, said this government would continue to protect its citizens and interests abroad and would not withdraw in the face of violations of international rights.

Favors Armed Force

The secretary came out strongly for an adequate armed force for this country.

"In a world in which the rule of force has not as yet been firmly and surely supplanted by the rule

TEXAS SPENDS MORE MONEY ON CRIMINALS THAN ON EDUCATION

That Texas spent more money apprehending and convicting criminals than it spent for education, was one of the points emphasized in a speech by L. A. Woods, state superintendent of public instruction, at the Rotary club meeting yesterday noon.

He further stated that 78 per cent of all school aid funds in Texas went to elementary schools, leaving only 22 per cent for high schools.

A brief history of Texas education from 1829 to 1938 was included in his talk.

County Supt. W. B. Weathered introduced Dr. Woods to the club. Another special guest, Miss Nell Parmley, state director of music in public schools, was introduced by Rotary Vice President Farris C. Oden, while J. B. Speer of Canyon, deputy state superintendent, and Mrs. J. C. Taylor, of Amarillo, aunt of Miss Parmley, was introduced by Supt. L. L. Sone, of the Pampa schools.

Charlie Burton was chairman of the program, given at the club's regular weekly luncheon in the basement of the First Methodist church.

"Believe Me If All Those Endering Young Charms" and "When Irish Eyes are Smilin'" were sung by Miss Parmley. The state director also led the club in singing several songs, including "Home On the Range" and "My Wild Irish Rose."

Mainly About People

Phone Items for this Column to The News Editorial Rooms, at 668

Mrs. E. R. Miller and baby were taken to their home from Pampa-Jarratt hospital Wednesday.

Mrs. J. E. Simmons and baby were dismissed from Pampa-Jarratt hospital Tuesday.

Mrs. M. H. Armstrong of LeFors is a patient in Pampa-Jarratt hospital.

County Attorney Joe Gordon left Tuesday on a business trip to Dallas.

J. L. Becker was admitted to Pampa-Jarratt hospital yesterday.

Mrs. D. M. James underwent an operation at Pampa-Jarratt hospital this morning.

Retha Jo Yates was admitted to Pampa-Jarratt hospital yesterday.

W. E. James of Alameda was a Pampa visitor yesterday.

REFINERY EMPLOYEES DENY CIO TESTIMONY

HOUSTON, March 17 (P)—More refinery workers were called by the Humble company today in its effort to refute charges of the oil workers union that the Baytown refinery had violated the Wagner Labor act.

All last week the CIO dominated oil workers union placed testimony before Examiner J. C. Batten trying to show intimidation and unfair labor tactics on the part of the refinery.

Contravening witnesses yesterday denied the oil company controlled or dominated the employees federation, which the oil workers claim is a "company union." Likewise witnesses testified they had not been instructed by their superiors to arm themselves when a strike was threatened in 1936.

The hearing probably will continue all week.

of law, it is the manifest duty of a great nation to maintain armed forces adequate for its national defense.

"No president and no congress have ever carried this country into war against the will of the people," Hull said, declaring a war referendum "would hopelessly handicap the government in the conduct of our foreign relations."

"We want to live in a world in which fruitful and constructive international relationships can serve as a medium for disseminating throughout the world the benefits of a material, spiritual and moral progress of mankind."

FOUNDERS' WEEK WILL BE OBSERVED BY K-C

Pampa Council No. 2767, Knights of Columbus, will participate in the fraternity's international program to observe Founders' Week from March 27 to April 3.

The week has been established as a memorial for Rev. Michael J. McGivney and his ten associates who founded the order in New Haven, Conn., in 1882. The society was chartered by the Connecticut general assembly on March 29 that year.

An extensive fivefold program in the forward movement of the order has been proposed for development by the 2,500 councils during March. Catholic activities will take a prominent part in the plan with council corporate communions and breakfasts to be held during Founders' week.

The Knights' Crusade against subversive forces will be advanced in public meetings through lectures on the "Catholic Answer to Communism."

Special founders' meetings for members will be featured by dramatic sketches of the early sessions

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of the incorporators and addresses on the "Faith of Our Founders." Plans to aid families of deceased members will also be described. Exemplifications of the first de-

gree will be held for classes of eleven candidates in honor of the eleven founding members. A promotion project will complete the five point program.

The Texas employment service maintains 112 offices in various cities for hunting jobs for the unemployed and filling requests from employers for workers.

The Texas fig-canning industry, which hit an all-time low during the depression, is making a rapid comeback, Texas planning board experts say.

Inquiries of Texas Agriculture have been received from experts in such far-off places as Australia, New Zealand, South Africa and England.

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Pipes 39c

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60c Forhan's Tooth Paste 39c

50c Calox Tooth Powder 39c

50c Phillips Milk Magnesia 26c

60c Murine 34c

50c Chamberlain's Lotion 24c

60c Alka Seltzer 49c

25c Lyso 19c

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75c Alophen Pills 49c

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25c N. R. Tablets 19c

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50c Milk Magnesia 24c

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25c Caster Oil, 4 Oz. 19c

65c Dryco-Lb. 59c

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15c Hygea 12c

Nipple 12c

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Old Taylor Pt. \$1.89

Black Prince Gin Pt. 69c

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Black Hawk Pt. 99c

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Alcohol Pt. 98c

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TODAY'S SERMONETTE

Man cannot follow the ways of God and the ways of mammon, for they lead in different directions. You cannot serve God and mammon. "And be not conformed to this world; but be ye transformed by the renewing of your mind, that ye may prove what is that good and acceptable and perfect will of God."—Chivers.

STEP TOWARD SOLUTION OF PARKING PROBLEM

Ask the average American what he is looking for in this life and chances are he will answer "a parking space." Traffic congestion and parking are problems that concern the small town just about as much as the large city.

For that reason New York City's decision to make permanent the ban on parking on 10 midtown streets is of interest to many people.

The "express streets" had been on trial in New York since Jan. 3. Police liked the idea. So did motorists. The parking ban will soon be tried on 10 additional streets.

Other metropolitan centers can now be expected to follow New York's lead. In doing so they will finally give ear to advice which traffic experts have been passing out for some time.

And that advice is that the only real solution to the problems of congestion and parking lies in, first, elimination of parking on all but the widest and least traveled of city streets and, second, provision for off-street areas to accommodate not only the cars usually parked on the streets but also the even greater number of cars people are driving around the block in the vain hope that they will find a place to leave them.

The experts believe further that city planning should provide for conversion of low value real estate into parking space.

Down in Argentina, the forward-looking city of Buenos Aires is showing the way to a motorist's Utopia by constructing the world's widest street—with subways beneath it to provide for 300 cars. This plan appeases the honest objection of merchants who say that elimination of street parking also eliminates a part of their business.

Parking is the prime causative factor in traffic congestion.

Consider a 100-yard block on a busy artery. Only 18 cars can park in 100 yards; that would be 36 cars for both sides of the street. But the pavement left for moving cars may serve more than 2,000 an hour.

This a few parked cars clog the street and slow up traffic for many times that number of moving cars.

New York has taken the first step toward a sensible solution of what are probably America's most universally irritating problems, parking and traffic. Simply stated the one practical course seems to be:

Provide adequate off-street space—and then get the parked cars off the busy streets.

When that is done life will be a lot more pleasant for a lot of people. Saturday night on Main street of a midwestern town will be no more of a drivers' nightmare than will 5 o'clock in the afternoon on 33rd street in New York City.

Behind the Scenes In Washington

By RODNEY DUTCHER

Pampa Daily News Washington Correspondent
 WASHINGTON, March 17—By common consent, it has long been held in the best informed circles that one of the scariest things an outsider can do is to get into a game where the cards are marked, where the dice are loaded or where some of the players have a secret signal system.

The game of international power politics is such a game and the United States doesn't know which cards are marked, which dice are loaded or which nations are playing footie and with whom.

Stakes and tensions are rising in Europe. But the State Department, which loves the game, can hardly dare make the point that "it's the only game in town."

Simplification of the European situation is riskier than it is simple. It would be much easier if one could accept the current official diplomatic view in Washington that the "Rome Berlin axis" has been busted by Hitler's annexation of Austria. The plain fact, however, is that no one can tell from this distance how tight is the bond between Hitler and Mussolini or how bright are England's chances of severing that bond. The net effect is fairly certain to strengthen the position of those Americans who want to keep their noses out of European affairs.

This government has confidential advisers—who it believes—that active Nazi penetration of Austria which began when Hitler summoned Chancellor Schuschnigg to a conference in

Tex's Topics

This is one of the days when my mind is taxed to the limit—trying to figure out what to write here. . . . I could go into a long dissertation of St. Patrick's Day, but that would require a little research work. . . . Everybody knows about St. Patrick, anyway. . . . So I have decided to reverse the English on columns which appear in this space from time to time about feminine pretties, spring styles for women and such. . . . Today I have decided to give my own version of a few household hints for MEN. . . . Everybody publishes household hints for women, but somebody has to pioneer the field for downtrodden males. . . . So, I might as well do it. . . . Here you are, men:

If you can't get to the handkerchief in your pajama pocket, the chances are you have the shirt on wrongside-out. . . . If it presses your Adam's apple, it may be on backward. . . . When a hat laid carefully on top of your dresser slides to the floor, it is likely the dresser needs cleaning off.

Inability to see your reflection in the mirror is a much more complicated problem, and may be due to any one or more of three things: (1) The dresser, as in the above mentioned situation, may be stacked so high the mirror view is obscured. . . . In this case, clean off the dresser. . . . (2) The mirror may be dirty or broken. Try putting your hand where the mirror was. If nothing stops it, the mirror is probably broken. . . . If you strike a hard surface, it's probably the mirror, just too dirty to recognize. If you cut your hand, you can be darned sure the mirror is broken. The mercurochrome is in the top left drawer—no, the top right—hang it all, where is that mercurochrome? . . . (3) The room may be dark.

Suits thrown carelessly across a chair are likely to get out of press. Each suit should be hung on a hanger in the closet—unless the wearer is in it. . . . A wadded-up sock in the toe of a shoe sometimes causes the shoe to go on with difficulty or fit uncomfortably. This is readily remedied by removing the sock. . . . Books with dust on them should be thrown away. If the book has dust on it, you aren't reading it, so why keep it? (Exception No. 1—If it's a library book, better return it!) . . . An ordinary buttonhole is much more useful if there is a button opposite or within reasonable proximity.

If the elastic waistband of a pair of shorts becomes stretched, a tuck, bringing it back to size, may be taken and pinned with a safety pin. A straight pin is in no case to be substituted, if one has no safety pin, a shirt stud will do just as well. The tuck is located at rear center for inconspicuousness, front center for comfort. . . . If one cannot find one's comb in the morning one's hat may be worn throughout the day. . . . If the fountain pen goes dry and the ink bottle cannot be found, liquid shoe polish will serve very nicely. . . . If the hair brush starts shedding its bristles, dandruff-remover shampoo won't help a bit. . . . If your hat blows out the window and rolls clear down into Cuyler-st, don't rush after it—Call a messenger boy and give him the directions it took when last seen. . . . Or, notify the missing hat bureau at police headquarters.

Yesteryear In Pampa
 TEN YEARS AGO TODAY
 John Studer was elected president of the newly organized Shrine club.

For the first time since being installed, the large fire siren failed to respond. The heavy rain and sleet of the afternoon froze the fans.

FIVE YEARS AGO TODAY
 Bottom hole pressure of many cross section wells in the Panhandle field were to be taken.

The local chapter of the Red Cross was authorized to make requisition for 4,000 yards of Red Cross material.

February, was a surprise to Mussolini and that the Duce knew nothing of the conference until he read about it in the newspapers.

Officials believe that Mussolini fears Hitler—now that German troops are at the Brenner Pass—that the interests of Hitler and Mussolini conflict, that Italy wants and needs a Mediterranean agreement with England more than anything else and that Mussolini regards prospective German penetration into Czechoslovakia and the Balkans as a menace to her.

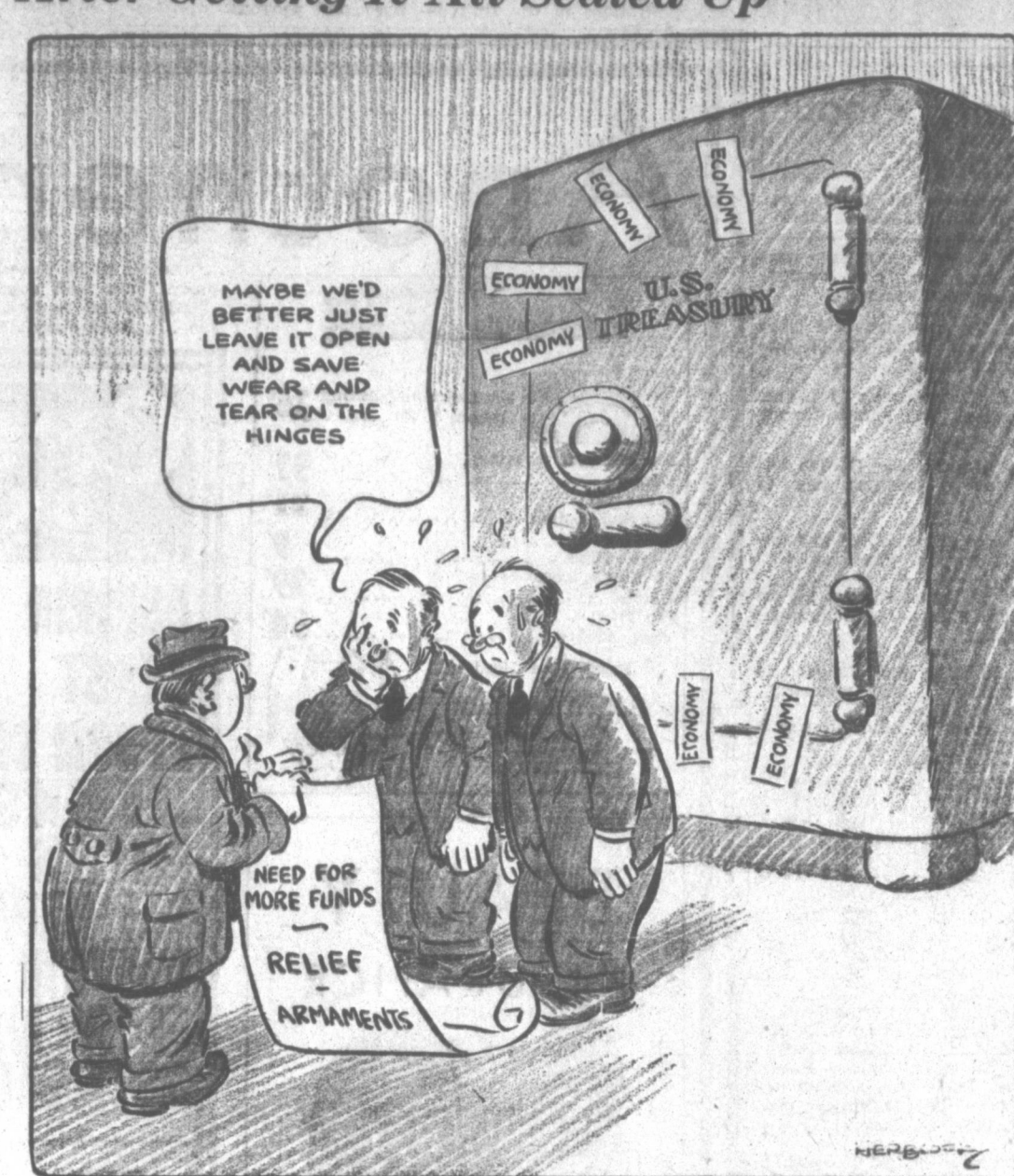
Consequently, they infer, it will be easy for the Chamberlain government to work out an agreement with Mussolini on the Mediterranean situation and then to play off Italy against Germany.

This would be in line with the British tradition of allying herself with various European powers against the strongest continental power—which once was France, then came to be Germany and then again was France and now, again, is Germany.

The old British game of playing both ends against the middle was at least temporarily interrupted when Hitler and Mussolini decided that they could and would put England herself in the middle.

This arrangement blossomed into an "anti-Communist" pact with Japan which caused Britain simultaneously to worry about German air raids, control of the Mediterranean and her "life line" to India and her interests in the Far East. It blossomed into a climax, at least according to certain likely grapevine reports, when Germany and Italy both refused to enter into any "appeasement" negotiations with England until Sir Anthony Eden resigned as foreign minister.

After Getting It All Sealed Up



Man About Manhattan

By GEORGE TUCKER

NEW YORK—Covering art galleries in New York is usually a bore, and I would be the last to recommend it as a pastime to visitors with only a few days to spare. However, if nothing can dissuade you, one of the many in 57th street near Madison may provide a few interesting moments.

Portrait of a Patrician Holding a Book is a forceful, black-bearded personage who is certainly a villain if ever I saw one. He seems to have been disturbed by someone, probably the artist, and he is fixing the intruder with a very evil eye.

In pleasing contrast was the Portrait of a Gentleman in Gray, a sly old codger in full wig and a velvet jacket over an embroidered waistcoat. He suggests a small boy stealing cookies, as in this study he has sneaked off to enjoy a pinch of snuff, probably against his wife's orders.

The thing that impresses you about these portraits, and there are 73 of them, is the sly, crafty light in their eyes and what probably was, in real life, their enormous capacity for intrigue and deviltry.

There are hawk-nosed sports from Venice, rakes and powdered fops from Versailles, and deceitful old expatriates from every court in Europe. Most of these were painted around 1500, when Villon was hiding from the gibbet, and Columbus had just completed his voyages. No doubt the masters drew their models from the jails and gutters, which accounts, probably, for that gleam of impudence in so many of their eyes.

Oh, yes, in another room was a display of antiques, and I sighted one gilded bed that must surely have been slept in by Marie Antoinette at least. It was adorned by vistas of Scandinavian culture and revealed Scandinavians sporting at the ritz spas of 300 years ago.

Unfortunately, however, I looked it up in the catalog and by that act denuded it of all romance. It was merely an iron bed painted and a relic of the Philadelphia centennial Exposition.

Katharine Cornell observed her new birthday by telling everybody she was 40, which is a refreshing candor in these days of edited birth certificates and perennial youth.

Since 1634 only the pope has had authority to canonize persons as saints of the Roman Catholic church.

Celutose, which may be derived from east Texas pines, bamboo, ragweds, sweet potatoes and other crops, is now being used in artificial silks, laquers, paints and enamels.

People You Know

By ARCHER FULLINGIM

This one goes to the wrestling matches every now and then, and every time he goes he sits either behind or in front of Dr. and Mrs. R. M. Johnson and Mr. and Mrs. A. J. (Skeet) Johnson—two couples in town who just about as inseparable, so it seems to this one.

The rain just as imperiously as though it were a finger dialing numbers, sets telephones jingling all over Hollywood, Burbank and Culver City. Production managers call unit managers of production, and these gentlemen begin calling others.

A midnight rain over Burbank, specifically, brings these results: Almost certainly, the first man it will awaken is Tenny Wright, production manager at Warner's, probably because all production managers are light sleepers when they sleep at all.

Wright makes two more similar calls and then, probably, puts on his robe and slippers and goes out to make sure his pigeons are well protected. Pigeons are his hobby. We now leave him with his pigeons and carry on from there.

The unit managers—those he has telephoned—get to work. The rain was not entirely unexpected. Rain in Hollywood and vicinity usually gives warning. If not, the weather man does. Already, "cover sets" have been arranged for all picture shooting.

A "cover set" is one to which the company can retire if the weather for bids proceeding outdoors.

New Cast Called
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Cranium Crackers

A porter on a train found a neatly-tied package containing \$3,000 in currency. The railroad demanded that the porter turn the money over to it. Must the porter do so? Suppose the real owner, two months later, claimed the money.

WOULD EITHER THE PORTER OR RAILROAD BE REQUIRED TO RETURN IT TO HIM?
 (Solution on classified page.)

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Around Hollywood

By ROBBIN COONS

HOLLYWOOD—If you're a movie star you needn't know enough to come in out of the rain. That's all taken care of.

Very efficiently, too. And, if you're a movie star, entirely painlessly. If, however, you're not a star but merely one who works behind the scenes in pictures, rain is a decided pain.

The rain just as imperiously as though it were a finger dialing numbers, sets telephones jingling all over Hollywood, Burbank and Culver City. Production managers call unit managers of production, and these gentlemen begin calling others.

A midnight rain over Burbank, specifically, brings these results: Almost certainly, the first man it will awaken is Tenny Wright, production manager at Warner's, probably because all production managers are light sleepers when they sleep at all.

Wright makes two more similar calls and then, probably, puts on his robe and slippers and goes out to make sure his pigeons are well protected. Pigeons are his hobby. We now leave him with his pigeons and carry on from there.

The unit managers—those he has telephoned—get to work. The rain was not entirely unexpected. Rain in Hollywood and vicinity usually gives warning. If not, the weather man does. Already, "cover sets" have been arranged for all picture shooting.

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The Capitol Jigsaw

By HOWARD C. MARSHALL

AUSTIN, March 17 (AP)—A woman may be a member of the next legislature after a two-year interval of membership confined to men.

Friends of Mrs. Margaret Harris Gordon of Waco say she has a good chance of being elected to the position being vacated by Rep. A. P. Chale. Her opponent is Eugene McGlasson, also of Waco.

A graduate of the Baylor University Law school and also possessor of Bachelor of Arts and Master of Arts degrees, Mrs. Gordon is a daughter of Nat Harris, a member of the State Industrial Commission.

The present legislature, which goes out of office at the end of this year, was the first in many years which did not have a woman member.

The previous legislature had one woman, Mrs. Helen Moore of Texas City who retired. One legislature had four.

Among the better known members of the past were Mrs. Sarah Hughes, now a district judge in Dallas, Senator Margie Neal of Carthage, and Mrs. Lee J. Roundtree of Bryan.

It may be other women are running for the House of Representatives but the report of Mrs. Gordon's candidacy is the only one heard here.

Governor James V. Allred received the number one automobile license plate of the new series for state officials authorized by the Highway Department. Lieut. Gov. Walter F. Woodul, who has substituted frequently for the Governor, received recognition with number two, and United States Senators Morris Sheppard and Tom Connors numbers three and four, respectively.

Attorney General William McCraw, with number five, was six places ahead of his rival for the democratic nomination for Governor, Ernest O. Thompson, whose license plate is No. 11. Thompson's fellow Railroad Commissioner, C. V. Terrell, and H. J. Lutchner, Clark of Orange, millionaire member of the Board of Regents of the University of Texas, apparently are not superstitious about No. 13. Both received it, Terrell in the new, and Stark in the regular series.

Other numbers include: 3, George H. Sheppard, Comptroller; 7, Edward Clark, Secretary of State; 8, Charles Lockhart, Treasurer; 9, W. H. McDonald, Land Commissioner; 10, J. E. McDonald, Agriculture Commissioner; 12, Lon A. Smith, Railroad Commissioner; 13, C. V. Terrell, Railroad Commissioner; 14, L. A. Woods, Superintendent of Public Instruction; 15, C. M. Curren, Chief Justice of the Supreme Court; 16, John Sharp, Associate Justice of the Supreme Court; 17, Richard Critz, Supreme Court Associate Justice; 18, W. C. Morrow, presiding Judge of the Court of Criminal Appeals; 19, H. N. Graves, Associate Judge of the Court of Criminal Appeals; 20, L. F. Hawkins, Associate Judge of the Criminal Appeals Court.

Number 21 also has been assigned to Gov. Allred, presumably for use of Mrs. Allred's automobile, there being two in the family.

Members of the Senate have been given 22 to 52; members of the Texas House of Representatives, 53 to 202; and members of the Texas Delegation to the National House, 203 to 233.

There will be 300 of the official series to care for cars of elected state officials and members of Congress. Numbers on these plates will be prefixed by the letters "S. O."

The first two hundred numbers of the regular series reserved by the department, also have been allotted, number one going to Robert Lee Bobbitt, Chairman of the State Highway Commission, and number 2 to Harry Hines, member of the same body.

G. A. Jerry Sadler of Gregg county has designated himself the "wagonyard" candidate for Railroad Commissioner.

His friends have adopted the slogan of "put Sadler in the saddle." In Austin recently Sadler put out some information on his back-

Sharing the Comforts Of Life

By R. C. HOLLES

WHY PROFITS UNPOPULAR
 We have from time to time, attempted to point out the necessity of profits. This has led us to wonder why there is so much opposition by many people to profits.

We presume that one of the reasons there is so much opposition to profits is that often profits are made because the entrepreneur sells a service or a commodity to the great mass of people which, instead of benefiting the people, does them harm. Profits of this kind, of course, if people would not buy things that degrade and destroy them, there would not be profits in this nature made.

When we have a system of free enterprise, people will sell what people want to buy without regard to the harm it does to the purchaser.

Probably there are some of the reasons why there is so much condemnation of profits.

But the man who adds to the wealth of the world by being able to furnish customers things which develop them, make them healthy and happy for less than others, and still has new capital left to continue doing this kind of service, is a real benefactor and should not be censured because there are profits made by playing on the ignorance, superstition and vanity of people.

So They Say
 There is absolutely no virtue in early rising.

DR. JASTROW, Chicago psychologist.

I will not write plays to order. Once a dramatist does that, he's finished.

PAUL VINCENT CARROLL, Scotch teacher who wrote a current Broadway stage success.

Fifty per cent. of cancer is curable, but we are not curing more than 15 per cent today.

DR. MARY L. LAKEMAN, New York State Commander of the Women's Field Army.

The President and the Senate sponsors of the bill (administration reorganization) frankly admit that no reduction of consequence in expenses or economy is anticipated.

U. S. SENATOR BYRD, Virginia.

His great-grandfather fought with San Houston at San Jacinto and his grandfather served as a private under his great-grandfather in the civil war.

The family has lived on the same farm in Anderson county since 1835. His career includes a rise as an East Texas oil producer and refiner during the days of the early boom.

On one occasion during a Senate committee investigation he chased a state senator with a chair.

Side Glances

By George Clark



"Will you serve that table for me, Gus? You know what face powder does to my hair fever."

FRANCO'S MEN TAKE CITY IN MARCH TO SEA

HENDAYE, France, at the Spanish Frontier, March 17 (AP)—Spanish insurgents reported today they had driven the last government defenders from Caspe and had occupied the town in their eastward march toward the Mediterranean.

Dispatches from Burgos, seat of Generalissimo Francisco Franco's government, said Caspe was taken with the aid of reinforcements rushed up from Alcantaz, advance point of the insurgent drive menacing the government-held coast.

Earlier government reports said government forces southeast of Caspe had broken through insurgent lines to relieve their beleaguered garrison there.

They said then the insurgents' drive had been stopped and Franco's troops had been forced to turn back to another resistance on their left flank.

The Madrid communique said government forces held the hospital and also the old chateau of the Knights of the Order of Saint John of Jerusalem in the strategic town at the fork of the Ebro and Guadalupe rivers, 50 miles from the Mediterranean.

The insurgent command sent new reinforcements of artillery speeding up the old Roman road from Alcantaz to join the motorized shock troops already dispatched to Caspe.

Insurgent officers at Trun, who said the town had been surrounded for 24 hours, received military dispatches this morning stating simply that troops were endeavoring to "complete" the encirclement.

The government's counter-attack, begun last night, launched a furious battle which still raged in the early hours today on the city's outskirts.

The civilian population joined the defenders in digging defense works and building street barricades.

Earlier reports from the government said a deadly artillery bombardment had been leveled on insurgent ranks.

The Harmattan wind which blows from the Sahara between October and March is known as "the doctor" because of its healthful effects.

BARKLEY PICKED AS TVA PROBE CHAIRMAN

WASHINGTON, March 17 (AP)—Congressional insiders picked Senator Barkley, Democrat, Ky., today as the probable chairman of a proposed senate-house committee to investigate the Tennessee Valley Authority.

Barkley, majority leader of the senate, was regarded as acceptable, they said, both to the administration and to the in-betweeners who want the TVA investigated.

Administration supporters contended that Republican opponents might seek to make political capital for the fall elections if they could conduct a summer-long investigation. Republicans argued that a committee of friends of the TVA would turn any investigation into a "whitewash."

Among the numerous proposals and counter-proposals for an inquiry, the latest was one calling for a joint committee of five senators and five representatives.

This resolution has been advanced by Senator Bridges, Republican, N. H., and King, Democrat, Utah, and Representatives May, Democrat, Ky., and Andrews, Republican, N. Y., all of whom have criticized TVA policies.

NAZI ORDER ARREST OF AUSTRIAN CLERICS

VIENNA, March 17 (AP)—Henrich Himmler, chief of all Germany's police, today ordered the arrest of all persons belonging to "certain clerical quarters," who he said were spreading "false rumors about new national Socialist Austria."

The order mentions no names, but it warned an immediate cleanup was in store for these "clericals." Their object, he said, was "not only to sow unrest within, but also to disturb the Reich's good foreign relations."

He blamed the "clericals" for starting a rumor Italian Premier Mussolini had given back to Germany the South Tyrol, formerly a part of Austria.

Communists in Nazi uniforms officially were charged with illegal house searching and seizures of property and persons. Flying squads had been organizing, the announcement said, to deal sharply with this practice. There was no mention of how widespread it was.

The public was also warned against

Schmeling Return May Be Held Up

CHICAGO, March 17 (AP)—Promoter Mike Jacobs said today "scrambled conditions in Germany" may prevent Schmeling from returning to the United States for his

heavyweight title bout with Joe Louis scheduled for June. He intimated Max Baer would get the call if the German didn't show up.

Hundreds of piles of bones of prehistoric elephants have been found in the Texas Panhandle.

Genghis Khan's 13th century empire extended from the Pacific ocean to eastern Europe.

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BRIDGE SCHOOL CROWDS GROW

Only two more evenings remain in which Pampans will have the opportunity to attend the contract bridge school being conducted by W. F. Rufus Steele...

Proceeds from the bridge school, after all expenses have been paid, will benefit the Boy Scout fund...

On Friday slam bidding, the new three bid, and playing two hands instead of one will be featured...

Saturday morning Mr. Steel will leave for Borger where he will begin a five-day course in contract bridge...

While in Pampa, Mr. Steele received nine applications for schools. Included in the group were Shamrock, Canyon, Clovis, and Tucumcari.

Europe. He may give to the world tomorrow an important announcement on Spain and her long and bitter civil war.

The Fuehrer summoned the Reichstag to meet Friday to hear "a declaration," and the marked emphasis placed on Spanish events by government spokesmen indicated that Spain may be an important subject of that declaration.

Officials said there was not in prospect any critical development in the Lithuanian-Polish crisis, at Germany's back door, or elsewhere.

The story is in Spain, not in northern Europe," the foreign office spokesman said.

Aside from Spain, considerable speculation here dealt with what Fuehrer Hitler might have to say about the future of German residents in Czechoslovakia...

WASHINGTON, March 17. (AP)—The position of the treasury March 15 was: Receipts \$506,499,463.01; expenditures \$486,045,476.97; balance \$3,121,754,452.27.

Receipts for the fiscal year ending July 31 are \$4,134,511,301.13; expenditures \$3,521,049,990.60...

WASHINGTON, March 17. (AP)—Senate opponents of the government reorganization bill declared today that White House "assurances" and political pressure had been used in an effort to defeat amendments.

These "assurances," said Senator Wheeler, Democrat, Montana, have convinced some senators that their "pet bureaus" would not be disturbed by the President in reorganizing agencies under the broad powers of the bill.

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Market Briefs

NEW YORK, March 17. (AP)—Selected stocks swung into an early rally in today's market but followed-through steam was lacking and gains of fractions to 2 or more points among leading industrials were eventually cut or changed into losses.

The list was fairly active at the start, but dealings subsequently slowed to a crawl. Transfers were around 550,000 shares.

Am Can 87 25 1/2 85 1/2, Am Rad & Sst S 22 12 1/2 11 1/2, Am T & T 122 32 120 30 1/2, Anaconda 122 32 120 30 1/2, Atch T & SF 48 32 46 30, B & O 23 6 1/2 22 5 1/2, Bendis Aviat 19 11 1/2 18 1/2, Beth Steel 77 57 1/2 55 1/2, Chrysler Corp 110 62 1/2 60 1/2, Colum G & EI 17 7 1/2 6 1/2, Con Ed 38 1/2 37 1/2, Gen Elec 38 1/2 37 1/2, Monmouth & South 29 1 1/2 1 1/2, Con Ed 17 4 1/2 4 1/2, Cont Oil Del 10 2 1/2 2 1/2, Cur Wrl 62 4 1/2 4 1/2, Sears Roebuck 23 4 1/2 22 4 1/2, DuoPut DeN 25 17 1/2 15 1/2, El Auto Life 4 1 1/2 1 1/2, El Pow & L 9 9 9, Gen Elec 38 37 1/2 37 1/2, Gen Mtrs 48 34 1/2 33 1/2, Goodrich Ind 11 16 15 1/2, Goodyear T & R 40 21 20 1/2, Heaton Oil 47 7 1/2 7 1/2, Kennecott 27 17 1/2 17 1/2, Int Harvester 27 6 1/2 6 1/2, Int T & T 44 7 1/2 7 1/2, Kennecott 27 17 1/2 17 1/2, Mid Cont Pet 4 1 1/2 1 1/2, Mo Kan Tex 6 2 1/2 2 1/2, Mont Ward 12 8 1/2 8 1/2, Nash Kels 10 8 1/2 8 1/2, Nat Distillers 8 2 1/2 2 1/2, Ohio Oil 18 12 1/2 12 1/2, Pub Svc Nj 15 10 1/2 10 1/2, Pure Oil 41 27 1/2 27 1/2, Radio Corp 33 6 1/2 6 1/2, Repub SUI 54 16 1/2 16 1/2, Searl 22 14 1/2 14 1/2, Shell Un Oil 3 1 1/2 1 1/2, Shimm Pet 1 1/2 1 1/2 1 1/2, Soc Va 41 18 1/2 18 1/2, Std Brands 30 7 1/2 7 1/2, Std Oil Cal 13 31 30 30, Std Oil Ind 21 31 30 30, Std Oil Nj 43 49 1/2 48 1/2, Studabaker Corp 14 5 1/2 5 1/2, Sun Va 41 18 1/2 18 1/2, Tex Gulf Sulph 3 3 1/2 3 1/2, Tex Pac C & O 4 8 1/2 8 1/2, Tide Wat A 2 12 1/2 12 1/2, Un Carbide 17 7 1/2 7 1/2, United Air 28 25 24 24, United Corp 21 23 23 23, U S Rubber 163 32 1/2 30 1/2, U S Steel 91 52 1/2 51 1/2, West Un Tel 22 22 20 20, White Mtr 18 9 8 1/2 8 1/2, Woolworth (FW) 13 4 1/2 4 1/2, Ark Nat Gas 3 1/2 3 1/2 3 1/2, Cit Svc 26 1 1/2 1 1/2 1 1/2, El Bond & Sh 32 7 1/2 7 1/2 7 1/2, Humble Oil 4 6 1/2 6 1/2 6 1/2, Nig Hud Pow 12 7 1/2 7 1/2 7 1/2, Union Gas 11 8 1/2 8 1/2 8 1/2

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OKLAHOMA CITY LIVESTOCK, OKLAHOMA CITY, March 17. (AP)—(USDA)—Cattle 2,000; calves 800; fully steady; load choice 1,087 fed steers 9.00; medium light steers 7.65; medium yearlings 7.55; vealers up to 10.00; good white-faced to 7.60.

Hogs 1.90; packed top 9.00; small hogs, paying to 9.10; bulk good to choice 170-250 lbs., 8.90-9.10; packing sows steady at 7.50-7.75.

Sheep 9.00; fat lambs steady; choice native spring lambs 5.50-6.00; bulk 5.25-5.50.

GRAIN TABLE, CHICAGO, March 17. (AP)—Wheat—High Low Close, May 87 1/2 87 1/4 87-87 1/2, July 84 1/2 83 1/2 84 1/2-84, Sep. 85 1/2 84 1/2 85-85 1/2

SOLONS CLAIM REFORM BILL OPPOSED BY FDA, WASHINGTON, March 17. (AP)—Senate opponents of the government reorganization bill declared today that White House "assurances" and political pressure had been used in an effort to defeat amendments.

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trial when Mrs. Curtis was given a five-year suspended sentence, was that her husband had been involved in illegal liquor activities and that the mother decided she must either sacrifice her children or sacrifice her husband.

Oldest Mrs. Lives, Lane said Mrs. Curtis in her statement to him said "I was unable to care for them, that is, not physically able and not able in the way of money. I had not undressed when I went to bed, and I was thinking kinda about killing them when I went to bed. I knew it was wrong to kill these children. I did not kill the oldest one, James Travis, because he is big enough to work for himself."

The statement, Lane said, also told how the mother moved the youngest child from bed in another room and placed him with the other victims in a single room of the farm home 22 miles south of here at West Hamilton.

Lane said Mrs. Curtis' statement said she placed a .22 calibre pistol at the heart of each child, beginning with the oldest and ending with the youngest.

Lane said powder burns were found on each child victim, and that each was turned on the side in bed. The district attorney said apparently none of the children had awakened.

Jury Investigating, District Judge T. O. Davis called the grand jury to meet promptly to investigate the filicide.

Lane said James Travis had been awakened by his mother after the shootings and sent to telephone to Sheriff Sample. When the sheriff arrived, the spared boy told him the direction his mother had taken when she left the house for the woods after the tragedy.

Sheriff Sample said he looked for the woman and finally called to her, receiving an answer close by. The sheriff said Mrs. Curtis told him she had placed the death weapon on steps on her farm home, where it was later found.

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the Norman conquerors of Britain turned their eyes. The first step of English rule was taken in 1172, when Henry II landed in Ireland and received the homage of both English and Irish chieftains, following Henry's interference when appointed to aid in the struggle between Dermot and Leinster and other Irish chiefs, a few years earlier.

Constant strife among the Irish clans abetted the invaders, and the following centuries have been a succession of warfare between the Irish, who fought for their religion as well as for their nation, and the English, climaxed on December 6, 1921, when a treaty was signed which established the Irish Free State. Northern Ireland is not included in the I. F. S.

In statesmanship, military and naval prowess, in church, theater, and literature, the Irish have made an illustrious record.

Proverbially, the Irish are always ready for a fight or a frolic, have a quick wit and take delight in athletics. One writer calls them the world's most impractical race, citing their liking for contests and appreciation of eloquence, mixed with a deep sentiment toward their land, that they place above all personal considerations.

Some historians claim that the Irish sailed the Atlantic and saw the coast of North America long before Columbus. There have been many similar claims, and it seems only one claim has been omitted by some Irish historians: that 397 years ago, a Irishman led Coronado in his expedition across the Top O' Texas, and the stakes the Spaniards used to mark their route, were lettered in green: "Erin Go Bragh!"

of Children. Old high school auditorium. No admission charge. 7:30 p. m.—"Abie's Irish Rose," famous comedy-drama which had the longest run of any play on Broadway, New York. A. M. Hillburn, director.

9:00 p. m.—Street dance, music by "Boots and Saddle" orchestra of Pampa. In 100 block of West Third street. Free admission.

9:30 p. m.—Crowning of Queen of St. Patrick's Day, during intermission of street dance.

KANSAS CITY LIVESTOCK, KANSAS CITY, March 17. (AP)—(USDA)—Hogs 800; closed active to all interests; steady to 10 higher than Wednesday; top 325 freely; good to choice 150-200 lbs. 9.20-9.35; sows 7.75-8.15. Cattle 1,800, calves 300; bulk fed steers of quality to sell 7.75-8.00, some held to 10.00; load heifers 8.50; selected vealers to 10.50.

Sheep 9.00; slaughter lambs fully steady; old lots sheep steady; top native and fed lambs 9.00.

GOITRE, Make this quick test. Get a small bottle Sorbol-Quadruple, a colorless liniment. For simple goitre apply twice daily. It quickly supplies substance needed by the thyroid gland. Thousands have been relieved. Other bombs hit a new section of the city which includes many residential quarters.

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One bomb made a direct hit on a shoe factory and 12 workers were killed, crushed by heavy wooden beams that tumbled about their heads.

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low-worms were holding lanterns which threw out light. "The kitchen had a small fairy range with a little fire in it, a dresser with little cups and saucers on it and a press full of good things to eat. Over at another tree there was a little grasshopper sewing a pretty frock on his little machine and nearby was another fairy cobbler cobbling away."

"When everything and everyone was ready the fairies came in thousands. The little fairies had long golden hair down their backs and their dresses were embroidered with beads and lace and the elves in their green suits, red jackets and pointed caps with white owl feathers at the side looked very smart indeed."

"Next they danced and after which they had supper and after supper they danced for an other while to the sweet music ever heard played on the wind. Then a funny little elf did tricks which made the fairies roar with laughter and when I saw him standing on his head I chuckled and all in a second every thing had vanished."

"I could hear nurse's voice calling in the distances. Of course I need not tell you I was smacked but I did not care as long as I had seen fairies. Yours, Patricia Walsh."

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buildings, six stories high, collapsed. One bomb made a direct hit on a shoe factory and 12 workers were killed, crushed by heavy wooden beams that tumbled about their heads.

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In the first daylight raid most of the victims were caught at the entrance of a subway station on their way to work. One bomb fell in the middle of the street, scattering shrapnel in their midst.

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HESSEY EXPERIENCES FIRST VACCINATION

John B. Hessey, supervisor of the Pampa office of the Texas Old Age Assistance commission, is wishing educational methods of today had been in practice when he attended elementary school.

Vaccinations are common enough today, but to Mr. Hessey, they are a new wrinkle. It all happened recently when Mr. Hessey went to Alarred to visit relatives. He was unable to make the call because the relative had smallpox.

On advice of his physician, Mr. Hessey was vaccinated when he returned to Pampa, and now he's wondering how long it will be before his left arm is back to normal.

SUPT. WOOD VISITS IN SKELLYTOWN SCHOOLS

A visit in schools at White Deer and Skellytown was made Wednesday afternoon by Dr. L. A. Woods, state superintendent of public instruction. J. B. Speer, Canyon, deputy state superintendent, and Nell Farley, assistant superintendent in junior high schools and state director of music, following their visit in Pampa.

The educators are making a tour of the Top O' Texas area, preceding the Northwest Texas Conference for Education to be held Friday and Saturday in Canyon.

PAMPA GROUP ATTENDS BIG UNION AT BORGER

At the meeting of the Big Four Christian Endeavor Union Tuesday in First Christian church at Borger, Miss Vida Elliott of Fort Worth, former missionary to India, was the speaker of the evening. She spoke on "Modern Youth's Problems and Racial Barriers."

The program was in the form of a cabaret decorated in St. Patrick's Day design. At the front of the stage was a green and white "4" with "welcome" in the background.

The next Big Four meeting will be held in Panhandle on May 10. On March 22 here is to be part of the district Christian Endeavor convention "On Wheels" to be held at the Christian church in Borger.

Attending the meeting were three members from Panhandle, 26 from Pampa, and 62 from Borger. Pampans included Rex Shearer.

LATE NEWS

WASHINGTON, March 17. (AP)—White House officials, describing the railroad financial situation as critical, announced today President Roosevelt had named three members of the Interstate Commerce Commission as a special committee to formulate recommendations for immediate action by congress.

The first watches with coiled springs came into use in the 17th century.

Century's FLEET STREET STRAIGHT Rye WHISKEY 90 Proof CENTURY DISTILLING CO., PEORIA, ILL.

WHITE'S AUTO STORES PAMPA, TEXAS 106 S. Cuyler Phone 840 Specials for Friday and Saturday. Includes Gillette tires, lawn mowers, seat covers, and various car accessories.

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Boys' "Eskay" WASH SUITS Just received a shipment of little boys' suits in sizes 1 to 4. Made of Rex-shan and linen—ideal for Spring. \$125 \$169 \$198

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You Are Sure Our Standards Never Vary. Men's 8 Inch SHOES. Arch Support. All Leather. 459.

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Russian Calls On Powers To Halt Fascists Advance

NAZIS, JAPS AND ITALIANS NOT INVITED

MOSCOW, March 17 (AP)—Foreign Minister Litvinoff today invited powers other than Germany, Japan and Italy to discuss joint action aimed at "checking further development of aggression and eliminating increased danger of a new world massacre."

He made the proposal in behalf of the Soviet government. The invitation will be sent to the United States as well as other nations because of the danger of war growing out of Germany's annexation of Austria and Polish-Lithuanian frontier conflicts.

Litvinoff said he was urging the invited powers, including the United States, to discuss joint action to save Czechoslovakia from attack by Germany and Lithuania from Polish aggression.

His formal statement did not mention specifically the calling of a conference, but he said exchanges he envisioned would be tantamount to a conference.

In one of his rare press conferences, the foreign minister indicated other powers would be sounded out on methods whereby collective action could be discussed when Soviet ambassadors had presented his first proposals to other governments.

Litvinoff disclosed that Russia had informed Poland in "a quite friendly way" that the Soviet Union considered the situation between Poland and Lithuania a danger to the peace of eastern Europe.

"Poland has brought pressure to bear on Lithuania for 'normalization' of their relations—they have had no diplomatic relations since 1920 when Poland seized Wilno—and for settlement of a border clash in which a Pole was killed."

He affirmed Russia's readiness to abide by the League of Nations covenant, the Briand-Kellogg peace pact and Russia's mutual assistance treaties with France and Czechoslovakia.

Litvinoff said he had been informed that Poland demanded satisfaction from Lithuania within 36 hours.

To Lithuania's question of what would be considered satisfaction, he said, Poland answered it demanded establishment of diplomatic relations. This would imply recognition of Poland's possession of Wilno, which Lithuania always has disputed.

"A dangerous situation in Lithuania," the commissar declared, "would create a dangerous situation in Eastern Europe."

COURT RECORD

AUSTIN, March 16 (AP)—Proceedings of the Supreme Court today included: Judgment of Court of Civil Appeals reversed and that of the trial court affirmed.

W. H. Pritamier vs. Texas Employers Ins. Ass'n, Gregg; Mrs. Ida B. McKibben et al. vs. Mrs. R. L. Scott, et al. Taylor.

Judgments reversed and cause remanded.

Junius Simmonds et al. vs. Stanolind Oil and Gas Co., et al. Gregg.

Certificates from Court of Civil Appeals dismissed (per curiam opinions): The State of Texas vs. Bobb & Rowley United, Inc., et al. Anderson.

Application for writ of error granted: John L. Sullivan et al. vs. Martin Flores, Nueces.

Applications for writs of error refused: M. A. Haughman vs. Wilkey County Water Control & Improvement District, No. 1, et al. Wilkey; Cameron County Water Improvement District No. 1, et al. G. C. Howell, Cameron.

Applications dismissed for want of jurisdiction: Mrs. Julia B. Scott et al. vs. R. N. Brightwell et al. Smith; R. A. Cobell et al. vs. Oliver B. Hauser, Hidalgo; W. P. Lincoln vs. Ignacio Canin et al. Wilkey; Texas Military Institute of San Antonio vs. Sun Oil Co. et al. Hidalgo; A. F. Anizan vs. L. E. Whitham & Co. vs. L. L. Craddock, Tom Green; Rosaly Trust Co. vs. L. L. Craddock, Tom Green.

Motions for rehearing of causes overruled: J. P. Griffin et al. vs. H. P. Hale et al. Gregg; Firestone Tire & Rubber Co. vs. The Fisk Co., Inc. Potter.

Motions for rehearing of applications overruled: SAKAP Ry. Co., et al. vs. D. M. Pleton & Co., et al. Nueces.

Motions for rehearing submitted: Auty Totten vs. Lula Smith et al. Grayson; M. F. Klattenhoff et al. vs. John F. Schreiber et al. Lubbock.

Motions to retax costs submitted: L. E. Whitham & Co. vs. L. L. Craddock, Tom Green; Rosaly Trust Co. vs. L. L. Craddock, Tom Green.

Causes submitted: W. A. Schmid, receiver, vs. City Nat'l Bank of Wichita Falls et al. Wichita.

COURT OF CRIMINAL APPEALS

AUSTIN, March 17 (AP)—Proceedings in the Court of Criminal Appeals today included:

Judgment reversed and prosecution ordered dismissed: C. D. Parker from Smith.

Appeal dismissed: Gundulipe Cantu from Hidalgo. Submitted on brief and oral argument: Terrell McQuinn from Wise.

Submitted on motion to reinstate appeal: R. T. Heerin from Orange; Clarence McGinty from Grimes.

Submitted on appellant's motion for rehearing: C. D. Parker from Navarro; Colquitt Lloyd from Smith.

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PITTMAN HITS AT ICKES IN OFFICE BILL

WASHINGTON, March 17 (AP)—Senator Pittman (D-Nev.) today urged modification of the administration's reorganization bill, told the senate today "There is nothing on earth but what Secretary Ickes wants to meddle with."

The Nevada senator argued for adoption of the Wheeler amendment to the bill, saying he had received "authoritative" information that if the bill passed, President Roosevelt planned to transfer some of the functions of the forest service to the department of the interior headed by Ickes.

"If the secretary of the interior had such a character and disposition as to listen to the advice of these forestry experts who have transferred this work for 50 years, it might not be so bad," Pittman declared.

"But everything in recent history and experience indicates that there is nothing in earth but what he (Ickes) wants to meddle in."

"It might be well," Pittman continued sarcastically, "to amend this bill to prevent the secretary of the interior from taking over the foreign relations of this government."

Ickes recently spoke on a broadcast to the British Empire.

While the Senate debated, house leaders announced a final vote on the administration's billion dollar naval expansion bill would be deferred until Monday.

Majority leader Rayburn (D-Tex.) explained this was agreed because many members planned to be absent from the capital on St. Patrick's day (Thursday) and did not want to return until next week.

Rayburn also said today the rivers and harbors committee would recommend regional planning legislation "within a week."

The Senate finance committee considered the house-approved tax bill again this morning. After the meeting, committee attaches said R. V. Fletcher, general counsel of the association of American Railroads, probably would be the first witness at the hearings tomorrow afternoon.

Treasury and congressional experts explained estate tax provisions of the house revenue measure at today's session.

Some sentiment still was heard from committee members for elimination of the undistributed profits tax, but Senator Connally (D-Tex.)

told reporters he did not favor outright repeal. He added that he might favor some modification of the house-approved levy.

Chairman Harrison (D-Miss.) is among those who have expressed favor for the repeal profits tax.

Gray County Records

Deed: J. M. Stokes et ux to A. B. Wade, lot 6, block 43 in Talley addition.

Deed: W. S. Roberts et ux to Sam Caldwell, lots 17, 18, 19 and 20, block 10, West 22d addition.

Deed of trust: Charles A. Hamrick to C. A. Forsyth, lot 46, block 8, Klester addition.

Deed of trust: Farris C. Oden et ux to Security Federal Savings & Loan, lot 11, block 12, North addition.

Assignment: Russes & Loan, lot 11, block 12, North addition.

Release: Security Federal Savings & Loan to E. A. Hampton et ux, lot 1, block 3, Alexander addition.

Release: Mrs. W. A. Thomas, collector, to C. S. Barrett, lot 23, block 8, Finley-Banks addition.

Release of oil and gas lease: Humble Oil & Refining company to J. S. Morse et ux, W 1/2 and S 1/2 NE 1/4 section 57, block 25, H&G.N.

Release of oil and gas lease: Humble Oil & Refining company to J. S. Morse et ux, SW 1/4 SW 1/4 section 55, block 25, H&G.N.

Release of oil and gas lease: Humble Oil & Refining company to J. S. Morse et ux, N 1/2 NE 1/4 section 57, block 25, H&G.N.

Abstract of judgment: John F. Stidner to T. E. Fortune et ux, cause No. 2249 et ux, justly secured Gray county, Texas, for \$23.90 plus 6% interest from 4-28-36.

Abstract of judgment: Phillips Petroleum company to G. T. Oliver, Cause No. 7579 in county court of Potter county, Texas, for \$250.00 plus \$5.00 costs, and 6% interest from 3-3-38.

COUNTY TEACHERS UNIT NUMBERS 180 MEMBERS

Gray county's unit of the Texas State Teachers association, many members of which will attend the Northwest Texas Conference for Education at West Texas State college, Canyon, Friday and Saturday, has 180 members, a bigger membership than more than half the other county units in the state.

County Supt. W. B. Weathered is president of the Gray county unit. Pampa members total 128, LeFors and McLean 25 each, and Laketon two.

Officers of the state association, which has headquarters at 410 East Weatherford street, Fort Worth, are: R. H. Brister, Waco, president; G. B. Wilcox, College Station, first vice president; J. H. Goette, Spring, second vice president; Mamie Bastian, Houston, third vice president; B. B. Cobb, Fort Worth, secretary-treasurer.

Supt. C. A. Cryer of McLean is a member of the state association's executive committee, representing district 18. There are 21 districts represented in the association.

WPA PROJECTS GIVEN CHILDRESS, LUBBOCK

Approval of 40 new Works Progress Administration projects, involving federal expenditures of \$662,495 and expenditures of \$400,747 by local governmental agencies, was announced today by Sizers S. Tucker, deputy state administrator.

One project in the list of 40 was for Childress county, and another was for Lubbock.

Childress--enlarge aeration channel, construct sludge beds, irrigation ditches and dykes, landscape and beauty grounds at Childress sewage disposal plant; federal funds \$3,768, sponsor's funds \$1,050; workers, 57.

Lubbock--asphalt surface on Lubbock's Avenue V from Nineteenth to Twenty-Eighth; federal funds 5,488; sponsor's funds, 9,180; workers funds, 68.

GRAND CANYON COULD HOLD ALL HUMANITY

DALHART, March 17.—There is no need, says Hendrick Wilhelm Van Loon, for the human race to get snooty.

There are now in the world about two billion human beings. But they all, he says, could be stacked in a box measuring a half mile in each direction, dumped into the Grand Canyon of Arizona, and in the course of a few years would meet the eye only as a mound of comparative insignificance.

Jim Burrow, Dalhart, has taken the trouble to figure out the exact number of cubic feet in the box measuring a half mile in each direction. "Here it is," he said, "but I can't read it—47,575,324,160,000 cubic feet."

THREE NEWSPAPERS IN AREA HAVE BIRTHDAYS

Three newspapers in the Top O' Texas area recently celebrated birthdays.

The Groom News, published by Mrs. W. W. W. and son, entered its thirteenth year on March 3. J. J. C. Estlack's Donley County Leader, Clarendon, began volume 10 on the same date, and on the following day the White Deer Review, published by W. W. Simmonds, entered volume No. 15.

Read The Classified Ads.

WESTEX QUEEN TO BE CHOSEN AT CONVENTION

WICHITA FALLS, March 17.—Miss West Texas, to be elected Her Majesty, Queen of West Texas, at the twentieth annual West Texas chamber of commerce convention, in Wichita Falls, April 25, 26 and 27, will be honored with an expenses paid airplane trip to Chicago and return, convention officials announced today.

The innovation, new to West Texas beauty queen annuals, was added to a growing program of entertainment for Miss West Texas, after Charles E. Beard, Oklahoma City, Braniff Airways vice president, offered the trip to the beauty queen, and her chaperon as guests of the airlines.

Wilburn Page, WTCC convention manager, and secretary of the Wichita Falls chamber of commerce, sent invitations to West Texas member cities today, inviting all to enter beauty nominees to compete for the queenship.

Miss Margaret Hall, special events director for the WTCC convention here, said "elaborate plans will be worked out for the queen's entertainment in Kansas City and Chicago."

Miss Inez Mayo, of Denton, elected at the 1937 convention in Brownwood, will reign as Miss West Texas over the April convention here.

Annually, WTCC member cities send sponsors to the convention pageant-festival, to vie for the selection as queen.

Miss Elizabeth Huff, of Wichita Falls, granddaughter of a pioneer founder of the city, has been named as official hostess to visiting queens. She will be presented as the "Oil Queen."

CONTROL OF WILD OIL WELL BEING ATTEMPTED

EDINBURG, March 17 (AP)—H. L. Patton, Houston oil well fire fighter, prepared today to attempt control of the Wheelock & Collins No. 1 Guerra in northeast Starr county. The well was blowing wild from a depth of 6,609 feet. The well was spraying distillate and some salt water.

Capone's Wife



Mrs. Al Capone is pictured above as she returned by boat from Alcatraz Island where she visited her husband, the former Chicago gang lord, in the hospital of the federal prison. The man shown with Mrs. Capone was reported to be Al Capone's brother, Capone, III recently, has been rumored to be losing his mind.

Mrs. Christopher Ladies Aid Hostess

SKELLYTOWN, March 17.—Mrs. Roy Christopher was hostess recently to members of the Ladies Aid of the Community Church at her home in Skellytown.

Mrs. T. B. Barron, president was in charge of the short business meeting. Bible study was taught by Mrs. S. C. Dickey.

Those attending were: Mesdames Ray Hawkins, J. C. Jarvis, S. C. Dickey, Tom Humphrey, Bill Lott, Will Hinkley, H. C. Boyd, Earl J.

OIL RESERVES NOT DEPLETED SAYS COLONEL

NEW ORLEANS, March 17. (AP)—Striking at what he termed "alarmists," Ernest O. Thompson, Texas railroad commissioner and chairman of the Interstate Oil Compact commission, discounted recent statements that the United States is in danger of running out of crude oil reserves.

Thompson, Texas gubernatorial candidate, was the principal speaker today at the national convention here of the American Association of Petroleum Geologists.

"Let's run these alarmists who are raising this bugaboo of a petroleum shortage in a hole. The facts will do it. Our problem is not a shortage of oil but finding a market for what we now have," Thompson said.

"Because of a general misconception of the nature of the industry's oil reserves, fears of an impending shortage of petroleum have periodically cropped up in the headlines."

"Practically all published estimates of crude reserves have met with this reaction. There seems to be a feeling that when the crude reserve is used up, then the supply will have vanished altogether."

"That view, of course, is absolutely unfounded. If it were true, we should have been back in the horse and buggy days long ago. According to a report of the American Petroleum Institute issued in 1925, the proven oil reserves of the country, January 1 of that year, were 5,323,000,000 barrels."

"Since that time we have produced over twice that amount, and estimates recently published place the proven reserves, Jan. 1, 1938, at 15,507,268,000 barrels—the highest ever recorded. Where are the alarmists who predict such a dire consequence for our country as the vanishing of our petroleum reserves?"

New, J. W. Lee, Roy Lee, T. B. Barron, Chester Strickland, Aaron Edwards, Ed Gallemore, A. E. Imel, Hazel Thurlow, and the hostess.

The next meeting will be held at Community Church.

Geneva became part of Switzerland in 1815.

80 JAP PLANES BOMB 2 CHINESE AIRFIELDS

CHANGHAI, March 17 (AP)—Eighty Japanese naval planes in a sudden thrust into the South China province of Kiangsi today bombed Chinese airfields at Nanchang.

Sweeping over the fields in re-lays, Japanese destroyed the old air-drome of Nanchang and six Chinese planes, they said. A newer air-drome there also was bombed.

Meanwhile Chinese guerrillas were harassing Japanese through a wide area of Shantung province, Americans reported from Tsiniao.

Four Japanese merchants were killed at Pangtze, a mail truck driver was shot at Weishien, and frequent cutting of the Tsinan railroad has resulted in irregular service.

Japanese, continuing their drive down the Tientsin-Pokow railway, claimed today to have dominated the fortified section of walled Tenghsien in Shantung and said 40,000 Chinese defenders had retreated 16 miles south.

RAILROAD CARS GIVEN TEXAS BATTLE NAMES

HOUSTON, March 17.—In line with the railroad's custom of naming dining cars after Texas heroes and battles, three new Katy cars just received here have been named "The San Jacinto," "The Alamo," and "The Goliad."

MANY NEVER SUSPECT CAUSE OF BACKACHES

This Old Treatment Often Brings Happy Relief

Many sufferers relieve nagging backache quickly, once they discover that the real cause of their trouble may be tired kidneys.

The kidneys are Nature's chief way of taking the excess acids and waste out of the blood. Most people pass about 3 pints a day or about 8 pounds of waste.

Frequent or scanty passages with smarting and burning shores there may be something wrong with your kidneys or bladder.

An excess of acids or poisons in your blood, when due to functional kidney disorders, may be the cause of nagging backache, rheumatic pains, leg pains, loss of pep and energy, getting up nights, swelling, puffiness under the eyes, headaches and dizziness.

Don't wait! Ask your druggist for Doan's Pills, used successfully by millions for over 40 years. They give happy relief and will help the 15 miles of kidney tubes flush out poisonous waste from your blood. Get Doan's Pills.

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LOVE LAUGHS AT THE DOCTOR

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Yesterday: The strange, query about the price of the dress turns out to be a stand-in modeling job for Connie. But she is not to hear the last of this.

CHAPTER VIII THE smartly tailored young woman who had talked with Papa Anton was in the dressing room when Constance went down to change her last costume. One of the other girls—the red-haired one with the sultry eyelashes and sulky mouth—was saying to her, "How should I know? We thought you'd sent her as a stand-in for Loucille."

clean-cut, decisive movements. "Loucille won't be out of the hospital for weeks. You've bought it. Now you've got one more outfit to model today, haven't you? Better—"

SHE broke off, her green eyes suddenly dubious. "I suppose you know that your final display is a wedding outfit, don't you," she asked. Constance nodded. "Elsa O'Dare said with the nearest approach to hesitation Constance had seen in her manner."

"This show is really important to me. We're staging it rather elaborately, you know—bridesmaids, pages, wedding march—all the trimmings—" "I know," Constance said dryly. "Everything but the groom." "You wouldn't let me down, would you? It may be a little—I mean—" "Don't worry. If I'm tempted to hysteria, I shall remind myself that my telephone bill is due to-morrow." (To Be Continued)

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ALPHA PSI OMEGA WILL INSTALL WTSC CHAPTER

CANYON, March 17—Membership in Alpha Psi Omega, national dramatics fraternity, has been granted West Texas State College. The new chapter will be installed soon according to Miss Mary Morgan Brown, head of the speech department. Charter members will be Frankie Dodson of Lockney, Ola Mae Roberts of Perryton, Kathleen Hodge of Floydada, Lawrence McFee of Pampa, Frances Armstrong of Tulla, Lady Maurine Archer of Canyon, Forest Fry of Lockney, I-one Pettey of White Deer, Dorothy Yearwood of Tulla, and Mary Elizabeth Courage of Panhandle. Members must have played a major role in a full-length play, leading parts in several one-act plays, or have had play-directing experience. Most of the local members have acted and directed Freshman and first-semester sophomores are not eligible. Former students are eligible to become graduate members if they can meet the qualifications.

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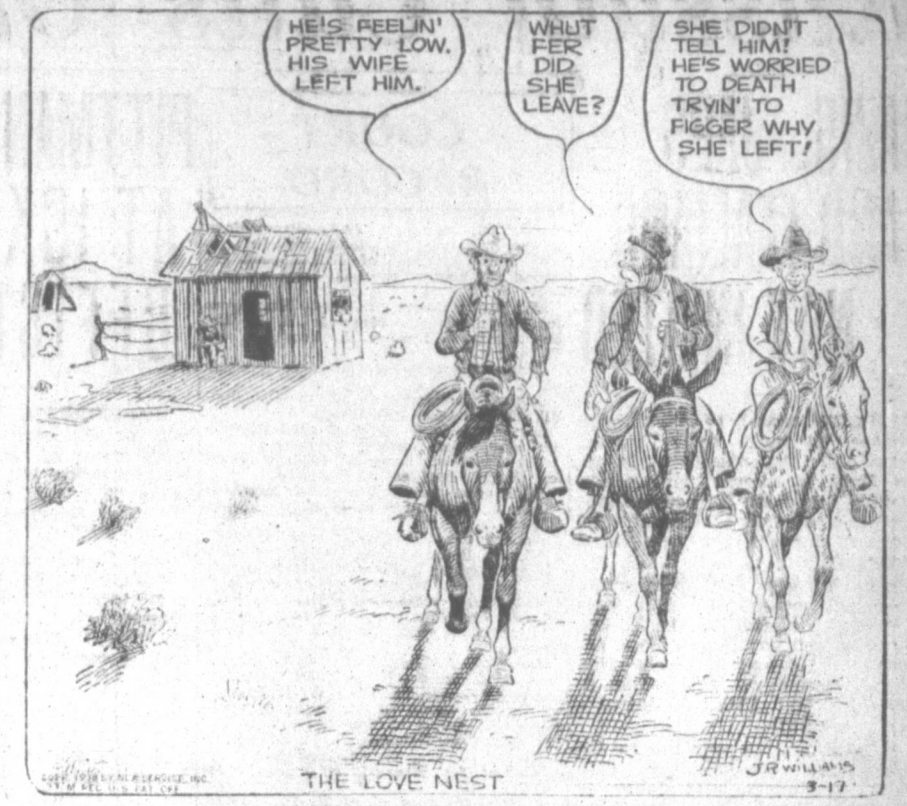
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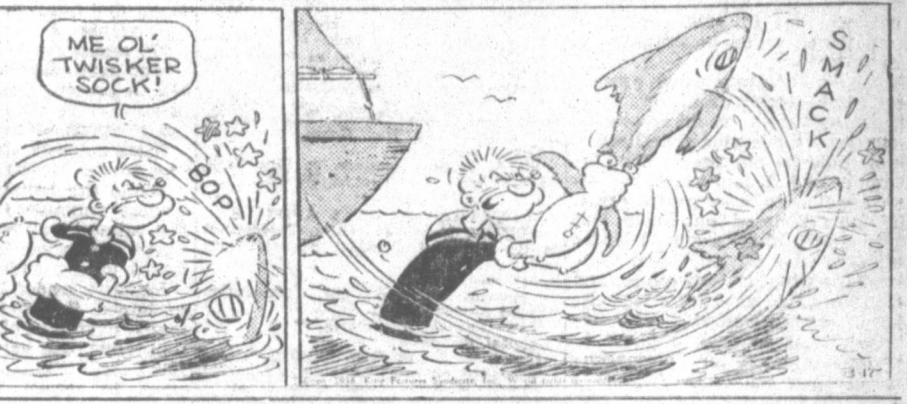
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WHAT CONGRESS IS DOING

(By The Associated Press)

Today: Government reorganization—Senate votes on amendment to restrict president's powers.

Naval—House considers amendments to expansion program.

HARVESTER GRID SQUAD REDUCED TO 57 AS SMALLER BOYS DROP OUT

PLAYERS NOT DEVELOPING TO SUIT COACHES

Many of the little fellows who reported for early spring football training have dropped out and will wait for the Guerrillas to get in action. The exodus reduced the number of candidates for Harvester honors to 57. Of that number, only 35 were in uniform for yesterday's long workout.

Missing from practice for more than a week have been Carl Brown, and Glen Nichols. Both visited the field yesterday and announced that they would be ready for action today or tomorrow. Brown recently underwent a tonsillectomy. The throat failed to respond to treatment and a few stitches were necessary. Nichols spent all last week in bed with intestinal influenza and is still a little weak.

Brown dropped 19 pounds during his illness and he wants to gain only five back to make him 200 pounds for the season. Nichols also lost much weight, dropping from 169 to 160 during his stay in bed. "I want to pick it up and will take the 10 Brown test," Nichols declared yesterday.

Doyle Auld, Guerrilla passing star, who has now recovered from an attack of pneumonia suffered six weeks ago, reported yesterday for practice and had gained in height and weight.

Coaches Odus Mitchell and J. C. Prejean don't know what to think. One day their charges look good and the next they're terrible. Some of the boys look like world beaters and the next they couldn't make a junior high team. Linemen and backfield men were both put through a long, hard afternoon of blocking, charging and breaking through.

The scheduled scrimmage against the exes in school will not be held until next week, probably on Thursday afternoon but the date has not been definitely set. The teams were scheduled to clash tomorrow afternoon but coaches will be out of the city.

The exes are working out under direction of Coach Roy Showers Sr. Their plan of attack is to show the 1938 crop more tricks than a magician can pull out of his sleeve. They'll have Roy Showers and Claude Heskell in the backfield to pass and punt and will have J. P. Mathews, John Henry Nelson and the rest of the bunch in the line to see how the new gang stacks up.

Coaches have not yet named a starting lineup. In fact, every position is being contested dearly and the best man is going to get the nod and that nod won't be until about Monday afternoon when a final squad scrimmage is in order.

YESTERDAY'S SCORES

- (By The Associated Press)
- Cleveland (A) 5, Philadelphia (N) 4
 - New York (N) 11, Jersey City (II) 4
 - Philadelphia (Q) 4, Beaumont (TI) 3 (11 innings)
 - New York (A) 2, Boston (N) 0
 - Washington (A) 15, St. Louis (N) 13

SPORTS

PAGE TEN THURSDAY EVENING, MARCH 17, 1938.

Terry Plenty Sorry He Sent Lewis Home

By HARRY GRAYSON
Sports Editor, NEA Service
ORLANDO, Fla., March 15. — John Kelly Lewis Jr., is in Orlando to sharpen up for another big season with the Washington Senators, and Bill Terry is kicking himself in the pants at Baton Rouge.

At a time when the New York Giants were searching the nation for a successor to old Stoney Jackson, Terry not only sent home, but discouraged, Buddy Lewis, who now at 21 is considered by many to be the finest third baseman in the game and a potential 340 hitter.

Terry kept Lewis waiting for seven hours the day he officially gave up on the handsome aspirant. Chilly Willie told Buddy that he was too slow and lacked pep, among other things. He expressed the fear that he would be so old that he would be out of baseball by the time Buddy was ready for the majors.

Returning to his home in the country near Gastonia, N. C., Lewis was about ready to forget baseball and complete his college education. He had finished one year at Wake Forest.

But Joe Engel, president of the Chattanooga Lookouts and the Washington club's one-man scouting staff, had seen Lewis with the Gastonia American Legion junior team, and disagreed with Terry. Lewis signed with Chattanooga on his 18th birthday, Aug. 10, 1934. Chattanooga fans were bemoaning the loss of Cecil Travis, who had been called from his third base position with the Lookouts to handle the same chores for the Nationals. Lewis made Chattanooga forget Travis, and later in Washington, where Buddy's presence made a shortstop of Cecil, the two became fast friends.

As for Terry, he hasn't yet found his third baseman. Last season he finally had to bring in Mel Ott from right field.

Starts With Legion Team
Lewis lived for a while at Gastonia, where his father was shipping clerk for a textile plant. He wanted to play ball, but couldn't make the high school team. In fact he didn't get on a team until the family moved to nearby Lowell.

At 13, somebody noticed Buddy's work at second base with the East Gastonia Legion junior team.

Buddy played with the Gastonia Legion All-Stars, who represented an entire county in 1932 and 1933, and his reward was a six weeks' trial and a western trip as guest of the Giants, who had won the National League pennant and the World Championship the previous season. Buddy's dream of playing with Charlie was crowded out of his mind with hopes of a berth with the Polo Grounders. "I slipped down to Central Park one day," he relates, "and saw two



Buddy Lewis

hotel teams playing. One of the catchers got hurt, and they let me play. I didn't tell them that I was up there with the Giants. They didn't even know my name."

Buddy Lewis should for some years to come be a lively reminder that the Terrible in front of Terry's name on at least one occasion might have had reference to his appraisal of young ball players.

"Mr. Terry told me to meet him in the club house at 10 o'clock in the morning," explains Lewis. "It had rained. There was no game that day. Mr. Terry walked in at 5 o'clock that afternoon. I was still waiting.

"When Mr. Terry said that he was sending me home, I asked him what was the matter with me. What he told me already has been related."

Bucky Harris called Lewis to Washington late in the 1935 season to play third base for the Nationals, and he has been there since. He batted slightly under .300 in his first full season in the American league. Last year he made more hits, 210, and scored more runs, 107, than any other National in bludgeoning his way to an average of .314.

Called Loop's Best Bunter
No less than 20 of his hits were bunts. "The first 14 hits I got were bunts," laughs Buddy. "That seemed to be the only way that I could get a hit."

Lewis' bunting record made Harris call him the greatest bunter in the American league. Newspapers carried full panel pictures showing

how Buddy drags the ball to get a hit.

Lewis is a left-handed hitter who swats the ball savagely and on a line.

Buddy Lewis should for some years to come be a lively reminder that the Terrible in front of Terry's name on at least one occasion might have had reference to his appraisal of young ball players.

Metz, Laffoon Win Tournament

MIAMI Fla., March 17 (AP)—Dapper Dick Metz, who teamed with Ky Laffoon to win the \$4,000 international four-ball golf tournament, headed for a physician's office today and wondered whether the injuries that have plagued him for almost a year would abate.

Metz and Laffoon trounced Willie Goggin and Ben Hogan yesterday, 6 and 5, to collect \$1,000 apiece. Metz, who carried the load through the final 36-hole grind, played despite a physician's warning that continued competition might ruin his golfing career. He scored six birdies on the third nine of the final match.

For a full year Metz had been trying for a comeback, and he finally made it—with a rib torn loose from its cartilage. Dick was hurt in an accident last spring just as

Baer Would Like To See Joe Louis Beat Schmeling

SAN LEANDRO, Calif., March 17 (AP)—Max Baer would like to see Joe Louis defend his heavyweight title successfully against Max Schmeling next June because "the only way I can redeem myself is by fighting him."

Baer, who returned home yesterday from his Madison Square Garden victory over England's Tommy Farr, is scheduled to fight the winner of the Louis-Schmeling bout next September. "This time I'd win or go out fighting. He'll be carried out or I will," Baer said.

TRAINING CAMP BRIEFS

(By The Associated Press)
LAKELAND, Fla.—To hear Manager Mickey Cochrane tell it, his Detroit Tigers are really going to look like something when they are decked out in their 1938 uniforms. Mickey has recommended suits of tropical worsted, featuring orange, black and white, and a sample is being prepared for submission to Owner Walter Briggs. "I believe colorful uniforms have a great deal to do with the success of pro football teams," Mickey explained.

NEW ORLEANS—Pre-training-season discussion said the toughest fight in the Cleveland Indians' camp would be for second base, but the tussle hasn't materialized, because Johnny Kroner won't let it. Johnny has been so brilliant at the keystone sack every day that he has the job sewed up. Lyn Lary and Bruce Campbell, meantime, are the camp's hitting heroes to date.

TAMPA, Fla.—Bill McKechnie is feeling a little better these days about his Cincinnati Reds' prospects. His change of heart was caused largely by the neat work of Outfielders Dusty Cooke and Lee Gamble. First Baseman Frank McCormick and Infielder Linus Frey, all newcomers to the Redleg roster.

SAN ANTONIO—A wire to Vice President William De Witt advised the St. Louis Browns that their clouting third-sacker, Harland Clift, was on the way to the camp and "rain" to go. Clift came to terms last night, and wired that he was leaving Yakima, Wash., immediately.

Temple Cagers Beat Colorado

NEW YORK, March 17 (AP)—Temple's towering basketball Owls went back to Philadelphia today, carrying with them the championship trophy of the National Collegiate Invitation tournament and the expert opinion that they were just about as classy a court combination as could be found anywhere this season.

They walloped Whizzer White and company from Colorado, 60-36, last night to round out a season that saw them invincible against representative intercollegiate rivals and all-powerful in the eastern intercollegiate conference.

The Colorado conquest, in which the Owls trampled the co-champions of the Rocky Mountain Big Seven group from start to finish, made it three straight triumphs in the invitation tournament. Starting with their win over Bradley Tech's "giant killers" from Illinois a week ago, there was never any doubt that Temple would wind up on top.

he was reaching his peak, but he came back to win a tournament or two before misfortune struck him again. Early this year, he ripped a cartilage loose.

McKECHNIE BELIEVES HE HAS PITCHING FIND IN DOEHRING

By GAYLE TALBOT.
TAMPA, Fla., March 17 (AP)—Bill McKechnie would just as soon not discuss the chances of his last-place Cincinnati Reds, but he does believe he has made a sensational pitching find in John Doehring, 235-pound fullback of the Chicago Professional Bears.

Bill, one of baseball's conservatives, is very high in praise of Doehring. "I think he might accidentally have discovered a really great player, one of those naturals that come to a manager maybe once in his career, if he's lucky. The Reds could use a number of them."

It's a dizzy story, about Doehring, who is also a part-time wrestler. He's 25 now and he hasn't played any baseball since he was in his teens. That was in his home, Milwaukee. As he explained it to McKechnie, he struck out 12 in a row the last time he pitched, but it hurt his arm and he gave up the game.

Since then he's been playing a lot of football for the Bears. After the Bears completed their barnstorming tour with the Washington Redskins down here, Doehring, like his teammate, Bronko Nagurski, turned to the profound sport of wrestling, and he's been winning like sixty.

A week ago, though, he showed up at the Reds' workout and asked McKechnie if he would let him toss a few balls. Spring was in the air and he felt like having a good game of catch. Bill said sure, to throw as many as he wanted at Virgil Davis, the veteran catcher. He hadn't cut loose with a dozen before Davis stopped operations with a puzzled look and put a sponge in his big mitt.

"I don't know when I saw a faster ball," recounted McKechnie. "I wouldn't believe my eyes until I asked Davis, and he said I was dead right. His fast one hops like Bill Hallahan's used to and he has as good a curve as I want to see. He looks like a great hitter, too. Honest, I believe he's the finest prospect in all my experience."

Although Texas has the essential raw materials for soap manufacture—fats, oil, alkalies, sodium silicate and rosin—practically all soap used in the state is made in the northeast.

Haydn composed 104 symphonies.

QUARTER FINALS IN CAGE MEET DUE TONIGHT

By WHITNEY MARTIN
DENVER, March 17 (AP)—It will be the same old dress with a 1938 trimming as the National AAU Basketball tournament enters the quarterfinal round tonight with six Missouri valley AAU league teams among the seven surviving seeded quintets. One trimming will be missing, the eighth seeded team taking it last night.

The champion Denver Safeways, the Bartlesville Phillips, the Kansas City, Kas. Healeys, the Wichita Gridleys, the Oklahoma City Parks and the Colorado Springs Antlers are the league teams still among those present. Completing the list are the seeded Hollywood Athletic club and the unseeded Warrensburg, Mo. Teachers quintets.

Yesterday's results (third round): Oklahoma City Parks 37, Oakland, Calif., Stroms 24.

Hollywood Athletic club 57, South Bend, Ind., Studebakers 31.

Wichita Gridleys 57, Bogalusa, La., Gaylords 35.

Bartlesville Phillips 65, Portland, Ore., Packards 22.

Central Missouri State Teachers 46, Montana State 25.

Kansas City Healeys 76, Chicago Harmon's Demons 44.

Denver Safeways 46, Tacoma, Wash., Alt Heidebecks 38.

Colorado Springs Antlers 54, Chicago Collegians 39.

right to finish off his education at Oxford.

But a lot of it is no fun. "Man, this has been a tough year," he said today. "Ever since September the heat's been on. Nine Saturdays of football. You have to be out there trying it's tough with a lot of people counting on you. Mighty tough."

"Then this proffer. Art Rooney is offering me \$15,000 to play football with the Pittsburgh Pirates. If I take it, it means chucking the Rhodes scholarship, although I can of course, take a law course in the United States. There are about 507 people trying to make up my mind."

Sports Roundup

By EDDIE BRIETZ.
NEW YORK, March 17 (AP)—Now it turns out that the pinto "Two-Gun" Lou Gehrig rode in the movies was named "Snookie" . . . Goodness, Gertrude . . . Odds on Barney Ross soared when Baby Arizemendi stayed ten rounds with Henry Armstrong . . . Washington sports lost plenty of the good old what-it-takes when Aneroid, the capital-owned boss, failed to finish in the dough in the Santa Anita handicap . . . Football scouts for Louisiana State hop around the country in airplanes.

Those who should know say Notre Dame has another Bill Shakespeare in Harry Stevens, who is all set to prove it this fall . . .

Your agent heads south in a day or so to catch a couple of golf tournaments in North Carolina (which is our idea of about the next thing to paradise) . . . They not only have the eats down there, but they know how to cook 'em.

James J. Carroll, the St. Louis betting commissioner, makes Stagehand a 1 to 5 choice for the Kentucky Derby in his winter book . . . Menow and Tiger come next at 10 to 1 and Nedayr and Teddy's Comet next at 1 to 12.

500 People Trying To Make Up Mind For Byron White

NEW YORK, March 17 (AP)—Whizzer White, the handsome young Coloradoan who faces the pleasant dilemma of choosing between a \$15,000 pro football offer and a Rhodes scholarship, is finding his big year a "mighty tough one."

A lot of young men would jump at a chance to stick their feet in the Whizzer's brogans. Byron Raymond White was all-America at Colorado last fall. He is a star at basketball and baseball. Ae Phi Beta Kappa key dangles from his watch chain, and he has won the

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