

## Anti-Red Measure Called Product of Hysteria, Fear

### Backers Say Bill Within Constitution

WASHINGTON — (AP) — A dispute over legislation to slap tighter controls on Communists was sharpened today by a protest that the measure was a "product of hysteria."

Supporters of the bill, recently approved by the Senate Judiciary Committee, said it would force Communists into the open and help protect this country against a Communist coup.

But Senator Langer (R-ND) contended in a minority report filed last week that the bill is "the product of hysteria and frantic unthinking fear."

He added, "it merits the opposition of all who cherish liberty." Langer was the only member of the judiciary committee whose name was on the minority report; some other members of the group have reserved the right to propose changes in the bill.

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Additional safeguards would be thrown up by the legislation to prevent security secrets from falling into the hands of Communists or foreign agents.

Ferguson said the bill would force the Communist movement in the United States to operate in the open rather than underground.

Investigations by the House Un-American Activities Committee and others, he said, have established that: (1) the Communist movement in the United States is foreign controlled; (2) its ultimate objective is to overthrow the American institutions; (3) its activities are carried on secretly, and (4) its activities "constitute an immediate and powerful threat to the United States and its way of life."

Virgil Johnson, charged in Memphis and Painesville along with Alvin and Carl Ash in connection with the burglary of a drugstore and department store, was sentenced to one year and a day Monday in federal court at Muskogee, Okla., for possession of narcotics.

Johnson entered a plea of guilty before the Court. He has not yet been committed to a federal institution, but police authorities here assume he will be committed to a hospital first for treatment as a drug addict.

Loot from the burglary was found in the Ash home and in Johnson's car when he was picked up at McAlester on Feb. 14. Johnson still faces the burglary charges, regardless of his sentence by the federal court.

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The Rev. Elford D. Sundstrom, in whose home Lora Lee was placed last December after she first complained to juvenile authorities, testified the girl "evidently had been mistreated."

"She had black and blue marks on one arm, her shoulders, buttocks and legs," he said.

Shortly after Lora Lee's case came to public attention, her natural mother, Mrs. Lena Brunson, Nederland, Texas, came here to regain custody. Juvenile Judge A. A. Scott ruled, however, that the child's adoption by Mr. and Mrs. Otto Michel in Texas in 1945 was legal. Last week Lora Lee ran away from the Michels and Scott said he will see to it that the girl does not work in films again. Lora Lee has appeared in 20 movies and earned up to \$100 a day.

The current trial is the result of Lora Lee's first charges of mistreatment. Although Lora Lee swore her testimony today was true "so help me God," Judge Scott last week announced she told him in a private conference that she had fibbed and that the Michels had been "wonderful" to her.

Lora Lee at present is a ward of juvenile court while Judge Scott investigates further.

See the new 1950 Johnson outboard motor with gear shift control, now on display. Also good used motors. Time payments if desired. Bert A. Howell, 119 N. Ward. Ph. 152—adv.

Garden tools and rubber hose for your spring work, Lewis Hardware.



**PARTING TEARS**—Thirteen-year-old Thomas Sheehan cries bitterly as he holds the lifeless form of his dog, Queenie, struck by a taxicab in New York City. The driver fled after hitting the animal. (AP Wirephoto)

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Twenty-nine men have filed their intention to run for Lefors Independent School Board posts, according to Huey L. Aycock, Gray County superintendent of Schools. The election will be held April 1 at Lefors.

Following consolidation of the Lefors Schools with Webb Schools recently, it was necessary for the entire board to be reelected. The board consists of seven men.

After the election, the elected members will draw for one, two, or three-year terms.

There are about 1500 eligible voters in the Lefors district, and of that group, 487 have paid their poll tax and are eligible to vote. Of the total, 470 were from Lefors and 17 from Webb. Webb is located east of Lefors near the Gray-Wheeler County line.

Those filing for the school board include seven old members, headed by Roy Jeffreys, president, and Bernard C. Johnson, H. D. Dunn, B. D. Vaughn, J. B. Guthrie, Ed Brock, and B. L. (Bill) Webb.

Charles Lisenbee, Jim Thurmond, Tom McGarity, R. B. (Bo) Brown, Earl Atkinson, Fred Blackwell, Wayne Koschke, A. C. Thurmond, W. H. (Bill) Stracener, W. G. Staley, Clarence Tilley, Fred Browning, C. H. Gustin, L. D. Durham, R. H. Barron, Jake Hammond, Marvin Tibbets, F. C. Jones, John L. Carpenter, Guy Hedrick, and A. J. Rollins.

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### CHILD ACTRESS SAYS SHE WAS 'COACHED'

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Lora Lee testified yesterday against Mrs. Lorraine Michel, 55, on trial in justice court on a misdemeanor charge of mistreating her adopted daughter.

The child said Mrs. Ona Wargin, her drama coach, "told me to say I didn't want to stay with Mommy (Mrs. Michel) and wanted to go back to my mother and live in a shack. And she told me to say my father took me into a bar and bought me peanuts while he drank."

She also said Mrs. Wargin told her to steal milk from doorways in the apartment house where she lived. No motive for the alleged coaching has been introduced in court.

Lora Lee cried as she told how Mrs. Michel spanked her with a hair brush "because I went down to the store and bought candy."

"I couldn't eat candy because I'd get fat," she said. "The movies don't like you to get fat."

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### WHITE MAN GETS LIFE IN NEGROES' DEATHS

KOSCIUSKO, Miss. — (AP) — A 28-year-old white man was sentenced to life in prison Monday for his part in the slaying of three Negro children.

Leon Turner, a former convict, was convicted of the murder of four-year-old Ruby Nell Harris, 8, the jury of 12 white men, eight of them farmers, was unable to agree on punishment. Under Mississippi law, it is mandatory for Judge J. P. Coleman to sentence Turner to life imprisonment.

The state had asked the death penalty, but the jury recommended life imprisonment for a white man convicted of murdering a Negro.

The jury deliberated almost four hours.

There was no demonstration by the audience of about 800 whites and Negroes when the verdict was read.

Judge Coleman announced he would re-convene court this morning. A decision was expected on whether Turner would face a trial on two other murder indictments against him.

These bills accuse him of the slaying of two other Negro children at the same time that Ruby Nell was murdered. They were Mary Burnside, 8, and Frankie Thurman, 12.

Windol Whitte, 25, was also convicted of the murder of Ruby Nell. As in the Turner case, the jury was unable to agree on punishment, and the court sentenced Whitte to life imprisonment.



**HOSPITAL CLOSING**—The old Pampa Hospital, top, was closed yesterday. Bottom picture shows last-minute packing and moving. L. to r., Mrs. Oma Ramos, business manager at the Worley Hospital, where Pampa Hospital's business is being taken (see story); Nurse Geneva Gobin, Supt. of Nurses Drusilla Smith, Nurse John Hair and Nurse Helen Parker. Not shown and behind Hair is R. F. Jennings, janitor at the old hospital. (News Photo and Engraving)

### Sweden Firm On Neutrality

STOCKHOLM — (AP) — Foreign Minister Osten M. Unden said today traditionally-neutral Sweden would stand firm in her refusal to join the Atlantic Pact.

Opening the foreign affairs debate in Parliament, Unden declared that Sweden does not wish "to conduct a foreign policy that would contribute to turning our corner of the world into a center of unrest and a point of friction between East and West."

He also turned thumbs down on talk of military cooperation with Norway and Denmark, both members of the Atlantic Pact. Such cooperation, Unden said, would "greatly compromise Sweden's proclaimed policy of neutrality."

Several of Sweden's top military leaders, including the commander-in-chief of the armed forces, Gen. Helge Jung, and chief of the general staff, Gen. Nils Swedlund, had supported the idea of peacetime military cooperation, especially with Norway.

Norwegian Foreign Minister Halvard Lange recently said Norway is prepared to resume negotiations for such cooperation with Sweden provided it fit in with this country's policy.

Unden said military cooperation was ruled out because it would be tantamount to indirect participation in the Atlantic Pact.

The foreign minister said Sweden's policy of neutrality was not based on the assumption that war is imminent.

He admitted, however, that Sweden's neutrality in the event of war could exist only so long as it does not prove to be incompatible with the vital interests of the belligerents.

He said Sweden intended to defend its independence and is spending nearly 1,000,000,000 kroner a year (\$193,500,000) to maintain its military defenses.

### Bailey Services Slated Thursday

Funeral services for Miss Eunice Bailey will be conducted at 10 a.m. tomorrow at Holy Sepulchre Catholic Church with Father O. W. Meyer officiating.

Miss Bailey, born Oct. 1, 1889, at Clarendon, Pa., died at the home of her sister, Mrs. Wilmer Cook, 206 N. Ward, at 9:20 p.m. yesterday. She had lived with her sister since Jan. 13.

Rosary services will be held at 8 p.m. today at the Duenkel-Carmichael Chapel.

A member of the Sperry, Okla., Catholic Church, Miss Bailey, besides her sister, is survived by one brother, Frank Bailey, Pampa; two nephews, Harry Cook and Bob Bailey, both of Pampa; and one brother, Frank Bailey, Pampa.

Burial will follow the services at Fairview Cemetery under the direction of Duenkel-Carmichael Funeral Home. Pallbearers will include W. S. Brake, Paul Andrew, Harry Cook, Bill Cook, Bob Bailey and Leo Zigler.

**STEAMER SINKS**  
TAIPEI, Formosa — (AP) — The steamer Miranda sank Sunday 45 miles from Keelung, Formosa, with a possible loss of 41 crewmen.

Bargain in floor model 8 1/2 cu. ft. Frigidaire Home Freezer, Terms. Complete line of home freezer supplies. Bert A. Howell, 119 N. Ward. Ph. 152—adv.

### Doors Are Closed At Pampa Hospital

Pampa's oldest hospital closed its doors yesterday after almost a quarter-century of operation.

The Pampa Hospital, 300 E. Kingsmill, has closed; and Dr. Malcolm Brown and K. W. Pieratt, who had operated it for some time, are partners with nine other doctors in the Worley Hospital, now undergoing remodeling and renovation.

Pampa's first hospital was opened in 1926 by Dr. Walter Purviance and Dr. Archie Cole. They operated until Dr. Cole's death about three years later.

The Worley Hospital was built about two years later than the Pampa.

Drs. Brown and Pieratt have had the 30-bed Pampa Hospital under lease from the two women owners, Mrs. Robert McGee of San Bernardino, Calif., and Mrs. C. C. Sharp of Borger.

Meanwhile, it was announced it will take two or three more weeks to finish remodeling at the Worley. The first floor and about half of the second floor are still open for use, and the third floor has been completely remodeled, being now in use.

The Worley, with about 45 beds, is being operated by a group of 11 local physicians—Dr. R. M. Bellamy, Calvin Jones, Brown, Pieratt, J. H. Kelley, R. M. Hampton, Charles Ashby, R. D. Falkenstein, J. F. Elder, D. P. Bonner and P. A. Gates.

Mrs. Oma Ramos continues as business manager for the institution. Mrs. Drusilla Smith is superintendent of nurses.

### Tucker Sues U.S. For Prosecution

CHICAGO — (AP) — Preston T. Tucker, president of the defunct Tucker Corporation, has demanded that Attorney General J. Howard McGrath dismiss three federal attorneys who prosecuted the mail fraud case against him.

At the same time, Tucker filed a suit in superior court against the government attorneys and five other persons for \$1,000,000 damages, charging malicious prosecution.

The suit is based on the government's recent unsuccessful attempt to convict Tucker and seven associates on charges of violating the mail fraud statute and the securities act.

### Proof of Slayer's Citizenship Sought

ODESSA — (AP) — Proof was being sought today that the slayer of the Presidio, Texas, sheriff is an American citizen.

Texas Ranger John Wood was going to Carlsbad, N. M., in search of evidence that Jose Villalobos, the admitted slayer, lived there for years.

Extradition of Villalobos, 24, from Ojinaga, Mexico, where he is held, would be easier if he is proven an American.

Ojinaga is across the border from Presidio, near where Sheriff O. W. (Blackie) Marrow was shot to death March 12.

# Mainly About People

Fern M. Berry, 1421 E. Francis, last night attended a meeting in McLean.

Mr. and Mrs. Warner Phillips, 541 S. Barnes, left for Wichita Falls this morning. Mrs. Phillips will undergo treatment at the Wichita Clinic.

Mrs. H. F. McDonald, Jr., 518 N. Russell, is ill at her home.

Arthur Biggs, M. D. Milligan and Marvin Sullyman visited in McLean yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Ford, 924 S. Banks, have returned from a two-week visit with their son, Roy, and family at Fort Lavaca, Texas, and Mr. and Mrs. Rusty Cunningham, Avansas Pass, and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Willard, Victoria.

Lorene Barton, formerly of the Orchard Beauty Salon, is now at the Modern Beauty Shop and invites all old and new customers to call 717.

E. C. Kilpatrick, advisor of Boy Scout Post 14, and crew leaders of Post 19 of Lefors, and his post leaders will meet at the Boy Scout Office at 7:30 p. m. today for a session on program planning.

C. B. Morris, Clarendon, visited in Pampa last night.

M. M. Craig, Miami, was in town yesterday.

Jack Robertson and Dean Cox were in McLean on business yesterday.

Couples Class of Barrah Methodist Church will sponsor bake sale at Bramson's Grocery, Sat. March 25.

Southern District of the Adobe Walls Area Council will hold its monthly roundtable discussion and committee meeting at 7 p. m. tomorrow at the Donley Hotel in Clarendon. Paul Beisenherz, executive, will attend. Other officers planning to go include A. W. Paris, president of the council, Phillips, R. J. Rust, explorer chairman, Jack Thornton, cub leader, both of Phillips.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Andrews, 711 N. Gray, are parents of a daughter, born at Highland General Hospital on March 17. She weighed 7 lbs. 4 oz. and has been named Suzanne Lavilla.

Trego's mercantiles, misses sizes, all colors, hair trimmed, padded sole, \$4.98 value, \$3.98 this week only. Tiny Tot Shop.

A community sing will be held at the Pentecostal Holiness Church, Zimmers and Alcock, Sunday from 2:30 to 4:30 p. m. New song books will be used.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Billingsley are the parents of a baby girl, Barbara Wynnell, weighing 6 pounds, 9 ounces. The baby was born Friday in Highland General Hospital.

Free feed 7 p. m. Thursday - American Legion, VFW, DAV members.

Stephen Douglas Thompson, nine-month-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Thompson, Oklahoma, Calif., and grandson of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Lamb, Skelly-Schafer Camp, has been named third-place winner in a recent Oakland baby contest. He was crowned grand duke and awarded a gold loving cup, a blue ribbon, a health certificate and a picture.

A daughter was born at 10:15 p. m. yesterday at the Worley Hospital to Mr. and Mrs. Howard Buckingham, Jr., 1205 Duncan. The child, who has been named Becky Lee, weighed 7 pounds 13 1/2 ounces at birth.

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Solons May Oppose Hospital Bed Shift

CORPUS CHRISTI (AP) - The chairman of a House subcommittee investigating plans to reduce military hospital facilities said last night the group likely will advise against cutbacks.

Rep. L. Mendel Rivers (D-S.C.) and his House armed services subcommittee arrived by plane to inspect the U. S. Naval Hospital today.

"All the hospitals we have seen need more beds," he said. "The testimony here and in other hospitals is in the same vein as the four we've visited, this subcommittee must recommend against such a reduction in facilities."

Four Small Girls Perish in Blaze

GRAND JUNCTION, Tenn. - Four small girls perished here yesterday when flames swept their home.

Mary Pirtle, mother of the children, said she had left them alone to get some laundry. The father, Jessie Pirtle, was at work. The victims were Dorothy Mae, five; Bessie Jean, three; Elsie, two; and Elmore, five months.

## Malpractice Problem Subject Of Medical Society Lecture

Mark Myers, Dallas, representative of the Indiana Protective Medical Company, last night addressed a meeting of the Top of Texas Medical Society at the Country Club.

Myers' address followed a banquet meeting. His discussed malpractice problems encountered in the field of medicine. A lengthy question and answer period followed his talk.

Dr. M. H. Wyatt presented a movie on cardiac irregularities. The society went on record as favoring Dr. Allan T. Stewart, Lubbock, as the next president of Texas State Medical Association.

Drs. R. D. Falkenstein, Pampa, and H. B. Nicholson, Wheeler, reported on the recent American Academy of General Practitioners' meeting they attended in St. Louis.

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## U.S. May Face Huge Increase In Surpluses

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WASHINGTON (AP) - Given favorable weather this year, farmers are likely to add to surplus farm stocks - and to government headaches.

An Agriculture Department survey of farmers' March planting intentions showed that the government may be plagued by another potato surplus. Also, it may have a bigger task of handling extra supplies of corn, soybeans, grain sorghums, dry beans, oats and peanuts.

The government already has \$4,000,000,000 invested in farm surpluses and is seeking an additional \$2,000,000,000 to finance additional purchases this year under a farm price support program.

Already over \$300,000,000 on potato price support operations during the past six years, the government faces the prospect of having to buy many spuds from this year's crop. The department said a crop of 389,000,000 bushels - \$4,000,000 more than its goal - is possible if (1) growers carry out planting plans and (2) yields equal the 1948-49 average.

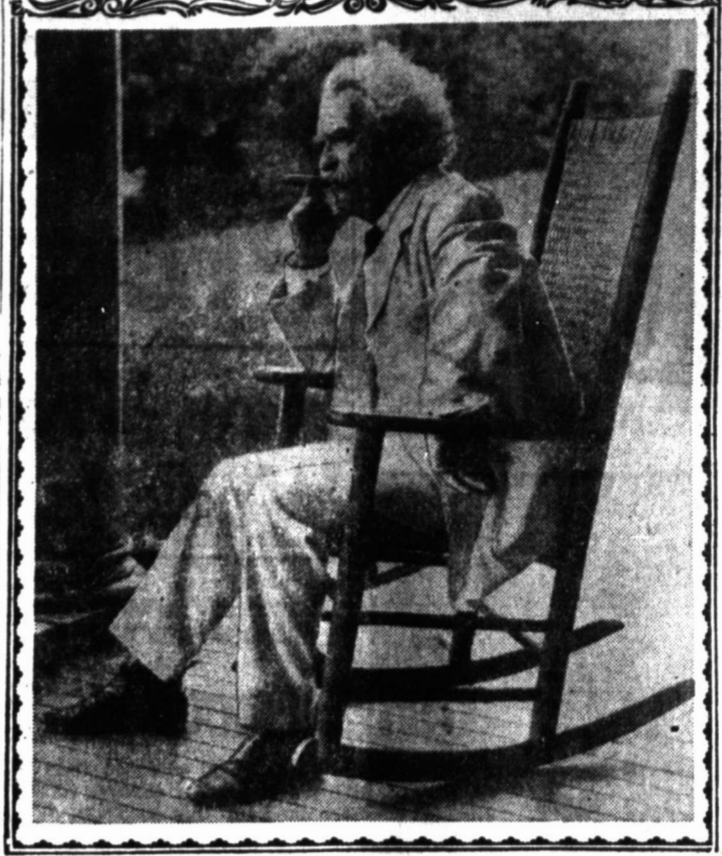
Already at a record level, reserves of corn could be increased further if farmers carry out planting plans. The department had recommended a 12.9 percent reduction in the acreage of this crop, but the survey indicated a cut of only 5.9 percent.

In only one case - wheat - where the government set up production control measures does the prospective acreage reduction go as far as was recommended. The prospective wheat acreage of 72,750,000 compares with a 1948-49 allotment of 73,400,000 by the government.

A reduction of 12.3 percent was indicated for peanuts - about 7 percent short of the government goal. The indicated rice acreage is 3.5 percent above the goal, while a dry bean cut of 11.7 percent was indicated compared with the goal of 20 percent.

The department forecast an 18 percent increase in soybean plantings. Much land to be taken out of corn will be planted to this crop. This shift could result in a surplus supply of soybeans and a drop in the measure to curb production of the crop next year.

## HALF-CENTURY HIGHLIGHTS



GREAT AMERICAN ORACLE was Mark Twain, seen in a favorite picture of himself, taken on the porch of his summer cottage at Dublin, N. H., in 1906. When the Twentieth Century was born, Mark Twain was 65 years old, and he occupied a pedestal seldom attained by any author during his lifetime. Tom Sawyer and Huckleberry Finn, his two best-known characters, were a solid part of American tradition, and they remain so today. The elder Twain was not just a humorist, but a philosopher willing to expand on any topic under the sun. Though he denied he ever had any morals, he always crusaded vigorously for right against wrong. He lived only 10 years into our century, but his mark on our literature and our lives remains fresh and vivid.

## Auctioneer's Gavel Closes Saga of Unusual Texas Store

By MARTHA COLE

TERRELL, Texas - (AP) - The glory of the 1880's was there - held in the hand of an auctioneer. They sold most of the stock that Mr. Levy had started collecting more than half a century ago.

He put it all in his store in Terrell, a small North Texas town among the cotton fields - damasks, fine furs, imported laces, silks from China, high button shoes, handkerchiefs, linen shirts for men, imported woolsens, hand painted buttons.

Hundreds came yesterday to the old two-story store to stand among the crumbling gingerbread work and listen to the chatter of the auctioneer - J. B. Moseley of Terrell.

The high school girls bought high button shoes and put them on. Their mothers bought old lace and linen dresses to wear to the square dances.

And they bought whalebone corsets. Some said they were just for a souvenir. But others said they would wear them - "they give you a wonderful figure."

I. Levy, 71 years old, died two years ago. His store had been closed since then until they opened it up last week and started digging into the dusty old boxes and dusty shelves.

"Mr. Levy was a little man, but he was dignified and a pretty stylish dresser in his day," said Claude Rousseau of Terrell. "But he got old and wasn't feeling too well."

So, Mr. Levy sat in the back of this store and read amid the fine things he had brought to Terrell.

"When friends came to Terrell," said Mrs. Ben Wilson, who's lived here all her life, "we took them to see the state mental hospital, the Texas Military College and the I. Levy store - the finest store between Shreveport and Dallas."

"He hadn't bought much new stock in the past 15 years," Rousseau said. "Occasionally he'd go on the bus to Dallas and come back with a little box of merchandise under his arm."

"He handled the very best of everything," said Mrs. K. W. Griffith, who worked at the store in the 1920's. "You could give him a piece of material in the dark, and he could tell you what it was and its quality."

"Women would come in and say they'd buy the material for a dress if Mr. Levy would tell them how to make it. And it gave him pleasure for people just to come in and admire the beautiful things he had bought."

The depression came, and customers stopped buying those fine things in the I. Levy store. And then came the war and Levy refused to stock the shoddy or

## REA Official Says Status Of Loan Vague

WASHINGTON (AP) - An official of the Rural Electrification Administration says there is no way to tell just when the agency will act on the application of a West Texas power transmission cooperative for a \$3,500,000 generating plant loan.

"We are giving it careful study," said Deputy Administrator George Haggard, a leader in the Texas REA program before coming to Washington.

The Mid-Tex Electric General Transmission Cooperative wants the loan to build a power plant at Abilene, Merkel or elsewhere in that area of the state.

Mid-Tex is composed of four REA cooperatives: Taylor Co-op at Merkel, Coleman Electric Co-op, Stamford Electric Co-op, and Midwest Electric Co-op at Roby.

"There is no way to tell just how long it will be before we can act on application," Haggard told a reporter.

"We are analyzing all the data that was submitted in the case and are making power cost studies. You can't tell when certain questions arise concerning power loads that may consume time you hadn't figured on."

While the REA is making its studies, negotiations are in progress in Texas between the applicant and the West Texas Utilities Company.

"It is possible they may reach an agreement that will lead to a withdrawal of the loan application," Haggard said. "If they do get together, the cooperative will purchase power from the private utility."

second-best merchandise that was available.

That's why his dress racks, his suit racks, his shoe shelves, his hat shelves and the cardboard drawers of notions held only the best - the best there was back before the first world war.

## Nationalist Planes Increasing Attacks

TAIPEI, Formosa - (AP) - Chinese Nationalist planes bombed Lungghwa Air Field at Shanghai yesterday and attacked Communist shipping along a wide stretch of coast.

More fighter planes than usual escorted the bombers but no hostile aircraft was sighted. Three strange planes were seen Monday.

## Four Marx Brothers Now Texas Oilmen

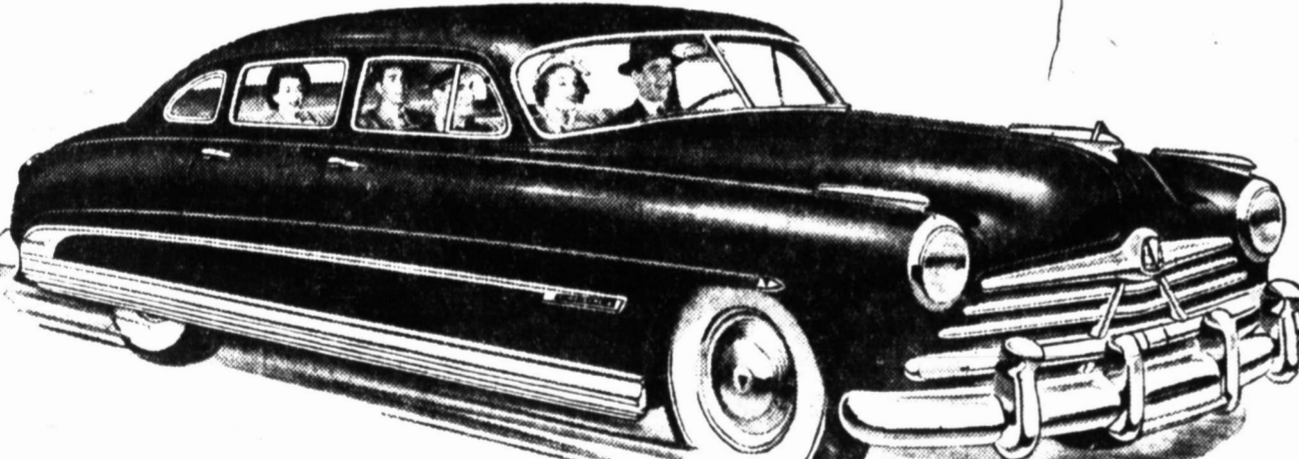
PADUCAH, Texas - (AP) - The four Marx Brothers have joined the list of movie people dabbling in Texas oil.

They have entered a limited partnership with about a dozen other persons to develop oil lands in King and Cottle Counties in Northwest Texas.

The firm, Stekoll Oil and Associates Limited, is to have offices at Dallas and at Los Angeles. The original investment was listed as \$100,000. The Marx Brothers are the largest individual investors. Groucho and Harpo invested \$15,000 each, Zeppo \$10,000 and Chico \$5,000. The investors also included a Gummo Marx who invested \$14,000.

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## Foxy Solution Given to Rabid Fox Problem

By WILLIAM C. BARNARD  
Associated Press Staff

West Texas may have the answer to the East Texas fox menace.

Foxes, many of them rabid, have been a big problem the last few months, particularly in Henderson County, East Texas. They have killed livestock and dogs and have bitten many people.

Now, from the Brady Standard in West Texas comes the suggestion that some of McCulloch County's expert fox callers be drafted to get rid of the foxes.

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What is a fox caller? A man who calls foxes, of course, like A. L. Lindsay, formerly of Brady but now of Brownwood.

"Mr. Lindsay probably is out of the amateur class," the Standard said. "He'd undoubtedly be classified as a professional. Since he got the fox calling fever less than a year ago, he's called and killed more than 150 foxes."

Lindsay, it seems, makes a sound like a dying rabbit and foxes trot right up to his automobile. Just the other night he made like a stricken rabbit and killed nine foxes.

Two men who broke out of the Menard County Jail were captured and told officers why they had escaped: "The food was bad."

The Reviewing Stand in the Athens Review carried this paragraph: "Mack Barnett was considerably upset when he counted his babies diapers and found one missing—that is, until he remembered the baby had one on."

NEW YORK — Columbia track captain John Ziegler has been ruled ineligible for further competition. The Lions' hurdler has too many credits, can qualify for a degree although he ordinarily would have another semester of eligibility.



WELL TAGGED — National League umpire Frank Dascoli shows license plate issued him by his home state of Connecticut while visiting Boston Braves training camp at Bradenton, Fla.

## Farmers Prepare SECOND GENERATION FORGETS FOX TROT

MIAMI (Special) — The coming of spring may bring rain to the thirsty ground of the Panhandle, so some farmers and ranchers are preparing their land to receive the hoped-for moisture.

James Flowers in Roberts County is constructing dams to give more water for stock, and to cut down on erosion in the draws on his place. Ellis Locke plans on enlarging a dam on his west place.

Several cooperators with the Roberts County Wind Erosion District are chiseling leave-out land. This leaves the land in good enough condition that it won't blow and will be in condition to take up moisture.

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## Florida Court Upholds Halt In Bookie Wire

TALLAHASSEE, Fla. — (AP) — The Florida Supreme Court yesterday upheld the state's so-called anti-bookie law.

In a unanimous decision, the court said the state has full power to prohibit use of private or leased telephone and telegraph wires for distribution of gambling information.

The law has been under attack almost from the time it was passed, amid legislative bribery charges, in April, 1949.

Justice Glenn Terrell, writing the court's opinion, said the law did not violate the state and federal constitution clauses guaranteeing free enterprise, did not restrict interstate commerce and was well within the police powers of the state.

Validity of the law was challenged by Radio Program Press of Baltimore and Walter M. Hagerty. Hagerty is the owner of Intra-State News Service, which the state public utilities commission cut off from wire services last fall on grounds that it was distributing racing information to illegal bookmakers.

Two Constables Oust 'Deputies' After Shooting

HOUSTON — (AP) — Two Harris County constables have cancelled all their special deputy commissions.

Action by Constables J. W. (Bill) Lambert, Precinct 2, and K. D. Wright, Precinct 1, grew out of an investigation of last week's fatal shooting of Carter Boyd.

Wash J. Howard, Jr., who had held special commission from Lambert, is charged with murder in the shooting of Boyd, a Negro yardman, after a minor traffic accident.

Lambert said he revoked about 162 special deputy commissions, Wright about 200.

The shooting of Boyd caused demands that officers do something about pistol-carrying special deputies.

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## New Medal Is Due Servicemen, Women

WASHINGTON — (AP) — An elaborate new medal will soon be available for service men and women who show outstanding characteristics in their basic military training.

The Defense Department announced it has accepted the offer of the Citizens Committee for the Army and Navy, Inc., to provide the medal, beginning July 1.

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NBC—10:15 a.m. Dave Garroway; 1 p.m. Double or Nothing; 2:45 Young Wilder Brown; 7 Screen Guild "The Sun Comes Up"; 8:30 Dragnet, Police Drama.  
CBS—10:30 a.m. Grand Slam Quiz; 1:15 p.m. Perry Mason; 3 Garry Moore Show; 6 Beulah's Skit; 8:30 Crime Photographer.  
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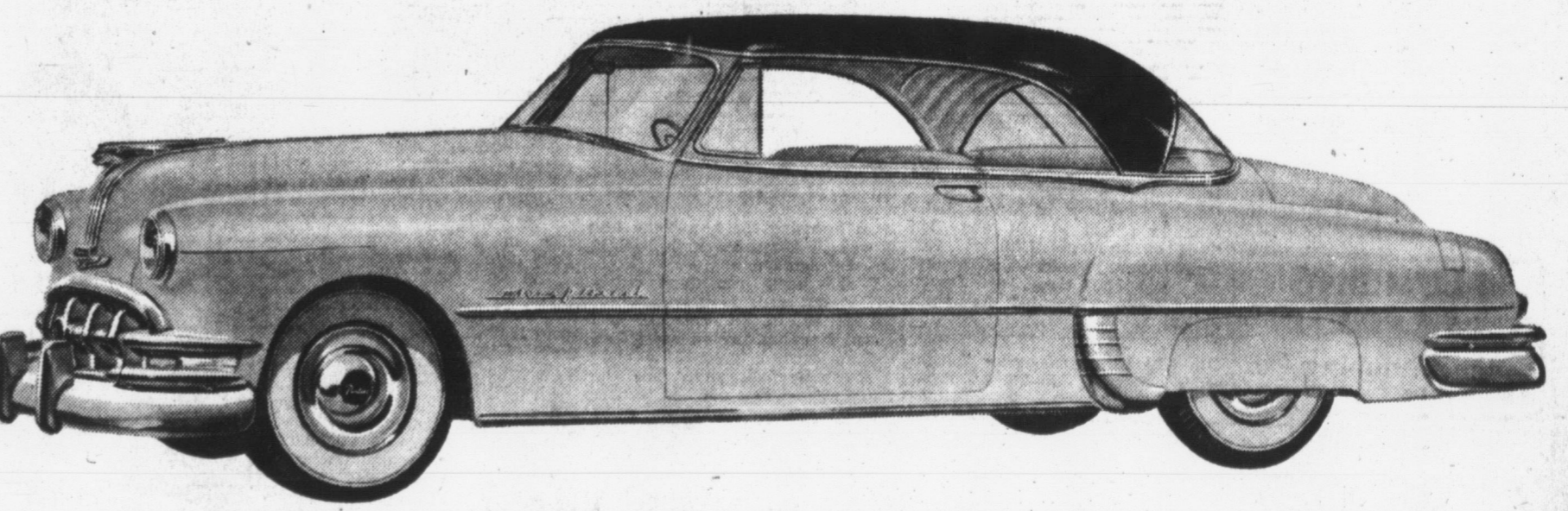
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# Roy Parker Returning to Pampa Oilers' 1950 Mound Staff

## Little Lefty's Contract Sent Back by Sports

Good news for Pampa Oilers baseball fans was received in a wire from Mr. Bonneau Peters, owner of the Shreveport Sports of the Texas League. The telegram informed the Pampa Baseball Club that Roy Parker, the little lefthander, was being returned to the Oilers as per the agreement on the conditional sale of the player last fall. If Parker failed to make the AA club he was to be returned to Pampa.

Parker, fans will remember, was the winningest pitcher in the West Texas-New Mexico League last season and also one of the best hitters on the Pampa ball club.

On the mound, Parker won 23 games and lost 10. He led the league in strikeouts with 235 and also was a the workhorse of the league, pitching more innings and facing more batters. He had an earned run average of 4.51.

When he wasn't pitching, he was playing right field, and rapping the ball to all corners of all parks. He played 77 games in the outer garden. His hitting was the main feature. He clubbed out 21 home runs, 8 triples and 22 doubles. He drove in 91 runs and hit for a .296 mark. All totaled, for a pitcher, he played in 120 games.

His return will give Pampa one of the best mound staffs in the league. Parker, along with George Payte, Charley Bodine, Bill Garland, Frank Gillespie, and the drafties, Joe Prorok, John Woods and Johnny Martin, will offer much trouble to opposing batsmen.

What effect, if any, the return of Parker will have on the status of Jim Martin, slugging catcher, is unknown. Martin reportedly came to the Oilers as part of the Parker deal.

Owner R. L. Edmondson and his new manager, Virgil Richardson, are in Shreveport at the present time and may bring home some more material when they return this weekend. Among the "new" faces on the 1950 Oilers club may be that of Jollin Joe Fortin, slugger of former Oiler teams. Joe is trying to stick with the Texas League club, but if he fails to make the grade there he has indicated a desire to re-join the Pampa organization.

The Oilers will open spring training at Oiler Park next Monday, and Parker and all the rest of the crew, with a couple of exceptions, are expected to be on hand.

## Talbert, McNeill Favored in Meet

NEW YORK — (AP) — Top-seeded Billy Talbert of New York and Don McNeill of Bellerose, N.Y., No. 3, are favored to win remaining semifinal berths tonight in the National Indoor Tennis Championships.

Talbert will meet seventh-seeded Tony Trabert of Cincinnati and the veteran McNeill will oppose eighth-seeded Sidney Schwartz of the University of Miami.

Two of the brackets in the men's singles division received occupants last night when Budge Patty of Los Angeles, No. 2, and Fred Kovaleski of Hamtramck, Mich., No. 5, moved forward without loss of a set.

Patty expelled unseeded Frank Bowden of Madison, N.J., 6-3.

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## Pampa Fighters in Win at Clarendon

The Pampa Boys Club boxing team won its third bout of the season last night as the fighters defeated the Clarendon High School team, 5 to 4. Most of the fights were close, with two bouts failing to go the regulation three rounds.

After the fights the Clarendon coach congratulated the Pampa squad on its fine sportsmanship, saying it was the cleanest group of fighters that he had faced this season. He also said that he would like to fight the Pampa team again in Pampa, so a date may be arranged for another home match.

In the first bout at Clarendon last night Frank Smith put Pampa ahead with an easy victory over Larry Hiron in the 74-pound class. The rapidly improving Smith had no trouble at all.

Ronnie James added another point for Pampa in the next bout, in the 79-pound class, with a close victory over Don Moore. James' classy style mounted up points for him and he took the decision.

In the best fight of the night, Bobby Wilhelm lost a decision to Bob Adams of Clarendon in a 119-pound fight. It was fast and furious all the way with the decision going to Adams.

Keth Kelly gave Pampa another point with a third round TKO of Jerry Moore in the 130-pound class. Kelly's hard rights caused Moore much trouble and the fight was finally stopped.

Thomas Grantham fought his best fight of the season as he KO'd Doyle Lefue in the third round. It was the first win of the season for the Pampa fighter, who at 140-pounds, is a very neat the tops on the other team.

Delmar Cox cinched the match for Pampa with a decision over Jack Trusse in another 140-pound scrap. Cox's left-handed style was too much for Trusse.

J. P. Carlisle added another

## King Tops in Collegiate Cage Scoring for '50

NEW YORK — (AP) — George King, of Morris — Harvey (W. Va.), won the 1950 collegiate individual basketball scoring race with a record 987 points, but he failed to overtake Nate DeLong of River Falls (Wis.) in their career scoring struggle.

King took the 1950 individual crown by 106 more points than DeLong's 881, a final season compilation by the Associated Press showed today. DeLong became collegiate career champion with 2,592 points to King's 2,547.

King, now playing with the Dayton All-Stars in the National AAU Tourney at Denver, finished the season with 42 points last weekend in the Cincinnati Invitational Tourney.

Early in February DeLong threw out 310 disputed points he made during the war years, but his 2,592 points nevertheless set a new career mark.

Paul Arizin, Villanova's All-America, topped the major college scorers with 735 points. George Dempsey, of Kings (Del.) finished fourth at 704 and Bob Cope of Montana, fifth at 703.

Bob Lavoy, Western Kentucky ace, and Hap Huey, of Davis, Elkins (W. Va.), tied for sixth at 671.

64-62, Kovaleski upset fourth-seeded Edward Moylan of Trenton, N.J., 6-2, 6-4, 6-4.

## Robinson Meets Costner Tonight

PHILADELPHIA — (AP) — The three postponed fight between two of the sharpest punches in the welterweight ranks takes place tonight in Convention Hall with Champion Ray (Sugar) Robinson trading blows with George (Sugar) Costner.

The prospect of seeing the two famous Sugars battle over the ten-round route in a non-title bout is expected to draw upwards of 15,000 and a gate of around \$70,000.

While Robinson's fight is still not set at stake, the fight is expected to determine whether Costner will have a crack at the title in a New York outdoor bout this summer.

The fight originally was scheduled for Dec. 5. For one reason or the other it was postponed until Dec. 12 and again until Feb. 22.

The meeting will be the second clash between Robinson and Costner. In 1945, the fight in Chicago knocked out Costner in Chicago. Since then, however, Costner has reached a high place among the 147 pounders. He has won 11 of his 13 fights, eight by knockouts.

Robinson, beaten only by mid-dleweight Champ Jake LaMotta in more than 100 fights, rules the 5 to 13 favorite.

DOUBTFUL DEFENSE LEWISBURG, Pa. — Bucknell's basketball team lays claim to the dubious distinction of being the highest scoring losing team in the nation. The all-sophomore Bison quintet ranks among the first 30 in the nation with a 66.2-point average, has lost 13 of 17.

## Greens Gossip

By HOGAN O'SNEAD

Just a word of warning to some of you golfers. If you see a tall, easy-going Texan loafing around the clubhouse hunting somebody to golf with, tread easily. It is probably Vester Smith, who is moving up here from Claude. He knows what those golf sticks are for. He was a member of the Texas Tech golf squad when he went to school, but hasn't had much time to play since because Uncle Sam got a hold of him. But give him time and he will be plenty rough to handle.

Been hearing about boys getting birds and eagles out at the Country Club lately, but there is a boy in Dukinfield, England, who got himself a rabbit. Police Sergeant Joe Hawksworth took off and when he found his ball he found a stunned rabbit lying beside it.

Women's golf has gone big-time. \$17,000 will be sought after prize in the Weather-vane Open, a cross-country tournament being held this season. Led by the big four of women's pro golf — Patty Berg, Betty Jameson, Louise Suggs and Babe Didrikson Zaharias — the girls will shoot at that total in four separate 36-hole competitions played on four consecutive weekends in different states, California, Illinois, Ohio and New York.

The first competition for the crack pros, as well as amateurs, will be staged at the Pebble Beach course in California on April 29-30, and will wind up in White Plains, N. Y. on May 20-21.

Been listening to these High School boys talking about how tough their game is. They are really hitting that apple, and even challenging some of the better (?) players on the course. Heard that Johnny Austin and Johnny Foreman came through on the last hole the other day to break even with Jimmy Howard and Richard Miller.

Also got word that Rich Miller has developed into a long-knocking golfer. He hit a drive off of No. 8 tee Monday that wound up only 15 feet from the pin. And that hole stretches well into the 300-plus yards.

If you want to play golf, I advise all of you to hit that course before 2:30. That is when Johnny Austin's group of 34 Harvesters linkmen hit that layout and then balls fly all over. But there isn't a better behaved bunch of golfers on the course.

There are all kinds of regulations and abide by them closely. They know that if they don't they'll be sitting in school for another hour each day.

Hear that my good friend Spec Gammon, golfing editor of the Amarillo Times, is leaving the Panhandle for the Rio Grande Valley. I hate to see you run off Spec, especially before I get a chance to test your game this season. Hurry back.

Adios until Sunday, friends.

HOGAN

## Bradley Heavy Favorite to Win Western NCAA Meet

KANSAS CITY — (AP) — Tired or souped-up, Bradley University's Braves will be favored to win the Western NCAA Basketball Playoffs here Friday and Saturday.

Coach Forrest (Fordy) Anderson's Braves, named the nation's No. 1 team in the final Associated Press poll, will play UCLA, Pacific Coast representative, in the second game of Friday's program.

Baylor of the Southwest Conference and Brigham Young from the Rocky Mountains meet in the opener.

The Western winner will meet the Eastern winner in New York City next Tuesday in the NCAA finals.

Bradley, which won the Missouri Valley berth in the Western by beating Kansas 59-52 last Monday, appeared fairly well spent after playing four games in eight days.

However, they'll come into the playoffs with some rest. They also have the best record of the four teams participating.

They played three times in the National Invitational at New York, losing to CCNY in the finals last Saturday before coming to Kansas City to trim Kansas on a late scoring drive.

Bradley, Missouri Valley Conference champion, played 34 games this winter, winning 30 of them.

UCLA, regarded as the second best team in the Western field and winner over Washington State in a Pacific Coast Conference playoff, won 24 of its 29 games.

Neither Brigham Young nor Baylor come up to the Western with good season records, but each was strong in the home stretch.

Baylor, 1948 Western winner, has played 24 games, winning 13 and losing 11.

## Rickey Plucks Plum Again; Detroit Hot in Exhibitions

(By The Associated Press) Branch Rickey, president of the Brooklyn Dodgers, seems to have plucked another ripe plum from a fruitless orchard.

The Dodgers' deacon, in a deal with the Philadelphia Athletics last winter, acquired pitcher Dick McCahan, a young gent with some promise but a supposedly dead right arm.

Rickey gave up third baseman Kermit Wahl, who, apparently, had no future in Dodgerdom. In addition, Rickey priced \$25,000 from Connie Mack to complete the deal.

McCahan had a respectable 10-5 record with the A's in 1947. He even hurled a no-hit, no-run against Washington. But his arm went sour in 1948 and he was sent to Buffalo last season.

Assigned to Brooklyn's pitched farm team, McCahan pitched for the Dodgers yesterday against Fort Worth. And off his performance, Rickey has come up with another "steal."

McCahan hurled the first three innings, allowing one infield hit and one run. He fanned three and walked three. But more important, after the workout the husky hurler remarked: "I haven't thrown like that in almost three years."

It was catcher's day in the Grapefruit circuit yesterday. . . . Sherm Lollar, backstopper for the St. Louis Browns, smashed a three-run homer in the ninth inning to sink the Cleveland Indians, 9-6. . . . And it was catcher Ed Fitzgerald's 10th inning

homer that gave Pittsburgh a 4-3 edge on the New York Giants. . . . Speaking of the hit Babe Ruth made famous, Philadelphia's Phillies hit six of 'em while whipping the Cincinnati Reds 14-4. . . . Mike Goltz led the offense with two homers. Granny Hamner, Del Ennis, Eddie Sanicki and "Puddinhead" Jones got the others.

VERO BEACH, Fla. — (AP) — Mal Mallette, Branch Rickey's "sleeper" draft choice, may not be long with the Brooklyn Dodgers.

Rickey acknowledged concern today over the rookie southpaw pitcher from Sacramento and said, "I don't see how we can carry him if he doesn't improve."

ST. PETERSBURG, Fla. — Bob Porterfield, the New York Yankees' hard luck righthander, can't seem to get away from the injury jinx.

The 25-year-old promising pitcher, out repeatedly last year with a recurring arm ailment, now turns up with a sore leg.

LAKELAND, Fla. — On their own side of the fence the Detroit Tigers are doing all right.

The 11 to 5 victory over the Boston Red Sox yesterday gave Detroit a four-for-four exhibition game record against American League rivals.

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CLEARWATER, Fla. — The hitting of outfielders Del Ennis and Richie Ashburn has been one of the most encouraging features of the Philadelphia Phillies spring training.

Offsetting ineffective hurling, the ball at a .340 clip to date while Ennis has been hitting to all fields.

STOCKTON, Calif. — The Pittsburgh Pirates and the New York Giants arrived here today for the third game of their four-game West Coast exhibition series.

The Bucs, specializing on home run hitting, have slapped out six of the circuit clouts in two days, but have only one victory over the New Yorkers to show for it.

BURBANK, Calif. — Dick Starr and Russ Bauers are slated for mound duty today in the St. Louis Browns' windup game of their two-day series with the Cleveland Indians.

ORLANDO, Fla. — Rookie Jim Pearce and Sid Hudson were picked to pitch for the Washington Nationals in their exhibition game today against the New York Yankees.

BRADENTON, Fla. — Johnny Sain who beat the rival hometown Red Sox twice in Florida last spring, will start against them today when Boston's Braves endeavor to snap a pre-season losing

## This Is Year Of Decision For Billy

BRADENTON, Fla. — (AP) — This is the year of decision for Billy Southworth. New faces dot his Boston Braves lineup. Leaders of the 1949 rebellion have walked the plank. Everybody wants to forget.

Billy the Kid paving the dirt and anxious to get started. Shortstop Buddy Kerr and outfielders Willard Marshall and Sid Gordon, formerly of the New York Giants, have added new drive and power and at least two rookies have a chance to open the season.

"I think we're a better ball club than last year," said Southworth. "Our outfield is much better, the best I've had since coming to Boston."

Gordon, Marshall and Sain Jethroe have been playing in one combination and Luis Olmo, Pete Reiser and Bob Adams in another. Only reason Tommy Ho in a hasn't been in one or the other is a bad thumb. I'll probably carry six but maybe only five.

"In the infield we have a four-way battle at second base. Roy Hartsfield, Sibby Sisti, Connie Ryan and Gene Mauch. Hartsfield, a new boy, got off to a good start at the plate. He hit .317 at Milwaukee last year.

"Bob Elliott is much lighter. He'll be our third baseman, I'm working Gordon there a few games, just in case. Kerr is my shortstop. Earl Torgeson could start the season at first base right now as far as his throwing is concerned. So far, Torgy hasn't started to hit."

Southworth is going all the way on young catching unless a deal is made. He could stand a veteran receiver and more pitching. Del Crandall is the No. 1 catcher. Paul Burris and Walt Lunden will stay "On the pitching side," said Southworth, "we have three delinquents — Warren Spahn, Johnny Sain and Vern Bickford. For the fourth starting job we have a contest, Norm Webb, Johnny Antonelli, Sam Webb and Bob Hall are the candidates. Then we have Bob Hogue and Glenn Elliott for relief."

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## Amarillo JC Wins In Kansas Meet

HUTCHINSON, Kans. — (AP) — Only two east-of-the-Mississippi teams remain in the running today for the National Junior College Basketball crown.

Northeast Mississippi of Booneville was the only Eastern survivor in six first round games yesterday. The Mississippi team eliminated Campbellsville, Ky., 88-85.

Wingate, N. C. College, the other east-of-the-Mississippi team, plays its first round today.

Northwest Mississippi meets Tyler, Texas, defending champion, in tonight's final game. The Texas club coasted to an easy 82-54 victory over Virginia, Miss.

In other games yesterday San Francisco, Calif., City College won from Flint, Mich., 64-52. Garden City, Kans., had little trouble with Jacksonville, Fla., 76-52. Amarillo, Texas, won from Dodge City, Kans., 54-45, and Weber College of Ogden, Utah, downed Bayonne, N. J., 76-49.

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# WARREN'S WARMUP

By Warren Hass—News Sports Editor

**QUESTION: Who is president of the American League? the National League,**

**SPORTS SIDELIGHTS:** John Barnhill, athletic director at Arkansas, reveals how he selected Otis Douglas, the former Philadelphia Eagles star, to coach the Razorbacks . . . Barnhill, retiring as football coach, asked Greasy Neale, boss of the Eagles, "who would coach the Eagles if you (Neale) would relinquish the position?" "That's Otis Douglas," replied Neale . . . "Then he's the man we want for Arkansas," said Barnhill, and went out and got his man.

**EDDIE DYER,** manager of the St. Louis Cardinals, declares "the business of throwing fast balls and curving past a batter is a pretty difficult thing to master. You can check and find that through the years a great many fine athletes have come up to the majors with a reputation as great prospects. But those who have made good and lived up to early promise have been few. . . Dyer's remarks were occasioned by Erv Four-Sack's Dusk's attempt to convert to a pitcher. "I just hope Erv makes it," Eddie continued, "but it's tough. . . Among the most memorable stories about the late Bill Guthrie, former umpire who died recently in Chicago, was the afternoon he chased Babe Ruth from a field and deciding to clean the Yankee tiny manager, Miller Huggins, from the game at the same time, shouted at the Babe, "and when you go, take dat bat boy wid ya." . . . Huggins could forgive Guthrie's English, but not being called tiny, and he long remembered the jibe. . .

**LUKE SEWELL** is making a great hit as manager of the Cincinnati Reds. . . One player explains: "There's only one beef—he banned drinking beer." The New York Yankees' players delight in turning on Joe DiMaggio's radio program when Joe is around, particularly liking to rib the slugger when he says, "And if you take care of yourself, Johnny, you, too, may make the big leagues." . . . Members of the Columbus Front Liners Club, a group of business men who help procure football talent for Ohio State, will spend two weeks vacationing in Canada this summer and serve as hosts to Coach Wes Foster and his staff. . . Peanut Lowrey of the Reds sees fire when bowling is mentioned. . . When he joined the Los Angeles Angels in 1940, a teammate talked him into bowling six lines, though Peanut never had tried the sport. . . "The next day I couldn't hold my arm up," he says, "and it was why I quit the season before I could toss the ball without feeling pain." . . .

**TY COBB,** former major league great, predicted that Jerry Coleman, New York Yankee second baseman, soon would be one of the best infielders in the game. . . Now Ted Williams adds his endorsement. . . "Coleman was the guy who didn't get credit for his part in the Yank's success last season," says Ted. . . Kevin O'Shea, who has become a legend in Notre Dame basketball as the Four Horsemen in football, plans to follow a career in accounting after June graduation. . . Few fans who followed O'Shea in his four years with the Irish quintet knew he was a protégé of Hank Luisetti, the former Stanford guard who finished second in AP mid-century poll. . . Luisetti and O'Shea became close friends while serving together in the Coast Guard and Luisetti tutored the Irishman until he became one of the top cagers in the country. . .

**FRANKIE FRISCH,** the Cubs' pilot, terms his 11 children Mickey Owen, the best condition.

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## Palmer Early Favorite to Win Masters

JACKSONVILLE, Fla. — (AP) — Here's a tip right from the feed box . . . Johnny Palmer will win the 1950 Masters golf title at Augusta, Ga., next month.

Leading professionals of the game voted the 31-year-old veteran from Baden, N. C., most likely to take the important tournament winding up the winter circuit.

Of course, don't say you weren't warned that Sam Snead is a close second choice just in case the veteran from White Sulphur Springs, W. Va., repeats his 1949 Masters victory.

High regard goes to National Open Champion Gary Middlecoff of Ormond Beach, Fla., and Jimmy Demaret of Ojai, Calif. Some votes also went to 27-year-old Jack Burke of White Plains, N. Y., and the Argentinian champion Roberto De Vicenzo of Buenos Aires, although they will play for the first time in Augusta.

Ben Hogan of Hershey, Pa., and Lloyd Mangrum of Chicago got sentimental votes if nothing else. Both are recovering from serious auto accidents. Mangrum has showed he can win the Masters any Hogan makes no secret of the fact he wants to badly.

To round out the voting, a scattered mention or two went to Jim Turnesa and Lew Worsham. Middlecoff, who knows the exacting Masters course well as any of the pros, explained that it takes long, accurate drives and good putting to conquer it—even more than other layouts.

That may give a hint why his fellow pro pick Palmer to win. He has the right combination of shots though they haven't given him a major victory this year. He stands tenth among money winners, far behind Snead, Burke, Demaret and Middlecoff.

## IN THE TRAINING CAMPS

### Durocher Raps One-Second Stop Rule in Mound Delivery

PHOENIX, Ariz. — (NEA) — Leo must have sneaked a look at the records. Number of balks called last year: 25, right on the nose. The Giants committed only five all year, three of them in one game by Adrian Zabala.

The Giant pitchers will have all the balk rule drilled into them through training. Manager Durocher promised. Every day in batting practice the pitcher will be made to come to the legal stop.

"And still we'll get balks," Durocher said. "You mean to tell me the pitchers are going to break that habit overnight? You show me the pitcher who won't forget himself when he's in trouble. A couple of base hits and he'll go back to his old motion and bingo, balk."

"And when it's called, what do you think the manager will do? He'll be out there having school with his pitcher for five minutes, to make sure he comes to a stop the next time. I suppose that's going to speed up the game, huh?"

Old-timers like coach Frank Shellenback and Tom Sheehan can't understand why the rules have been monkeyed with, as they put it.

One of the beauties of baseball, Scout Sheehan pointed out, is the fact the rules have been fundamentally the same for a hundred years.

"This is a farce," Leo Durocher said. "The pitchers are pitching the same way they always did, but now it's a balk. And the umpire calls it on his own. Why, you used to have to plead with an umpire to call a balk. How many balks were called in the National League last year? Not more than 25, I'll bet."

That has always been a violation, but the umpires used to let the pitcher get away with what the ball players call a "hesitation."

Now, the ball must be brought to rest for one full second. Else the umpire, presumably saying under his breath, "one thousand and one," will call a balk.

The umpires have been instructed to be very strict with these calls in spring training so that by the time the season opens the pitchers will be on the alert.

Pitcher Jesse Flores was penalized three times. Kirby Higbe made two balks, and Bill Miller, rookie left-hander, made three in one inning.

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One of the newest words is "radiothermics," defined as the application of heat generated by radio waves, such as is used in molding plastics.

## Defending Champ Winner in AAU First Round Play

DENVER — (AP) — Defending Champion Oakland, Calif., (Blue 'n' Gold) and other seeded favorites swept past collegian-managed teams in yesterday's second round of the National AAU Basketball Tournament.

The seasoned AAU fives generally found little opposition in the easier but loose playing collegians. Competition gets a little tougher in today's third round of eight games between the 16 teams surviving from the original field of 42.

The Oakland champions had only a light workout in a 75-48 romp over Aurors, Colo. (Strait Lumber Co.). The Californians play a group of Utah collegians from Salt Lake City (Murray Buick) tonight.

Milwaukee (Allen Bradley) one of the seeded teams, may find a surprise today in the Dayton, Ohio, All-Stars. The Ohioans ran up a 99-53 victory over Kokomo, Ind., All Stars in the opening round. Milwaukee was hard pushed yesterday to turn back Nebraska Wesleyan, an aggressive college five, 62-55.

Santa Maria, Calif. (Golden Dukes) is another of the seeded fives that faces a stern test today against Houston Texas, (Ada Oilers). Houston boasts a Clarence Brannum, Kansas State's ace center, and may upset the Dukes who had difficulty disposing of an erratic Billings, Mont., (Stockman) five last night 54-43.

San Francisco (Stewart Chevrolet) couldn't get the ball in the first half and led only 12-5 at the intermission against Alamosa, Colo., (Gordon Stores), a team that stalled when it was behind. When the Alamosa started releasing the ball by shooting San Francisco quickly ran away in the second half.

**Lobos Get Two Men** of the West Texas-New Mexico League. Dallas, Gladewater's parent club, announced the sales yesterday. Read The News Classified Ads

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## SWC Nines Win Two of Three

(By The Associated Press) Southwest Conference baseball clubs made it two out of three in the victory column yesterday.

Baylor and Rice won, but Texas A&M lost—all in nonconference play.

The Baylor Bears came from behind in the last inning to take a 7-6 triumph over the University of Minnesota at Waco.

The Rice Owls also gained a one-point victory, edging Sam Houston State 3-2.

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TOGGERY  
Crump . . . . . 118 127 119 364  
Crock . . . . . 122 128 110 460  
Kelley . . . . . 122 124 114 360  
Candier . . . . . 122 124 114 360  
Ormon . . . . . 122 124 114 360  
Total . . . . . 685 676 600 1953

PARKER'S BLOSSOM  
Elkins . . . . . 174 110 170 454  
Stammy . . . . . 106 124 114 344  
Lickman . . . . . 106 124 114 344  
Parker . . . . . 112 160 126 398  
Middle . . . . . 122 124 114 360  
Handicap . . . . . 25 25 25 75  
Total . . . . . 682 648 717 2047

ADDINGTON'S  
Hutchens . . . . . 145 159 403  
Camp . . . . . 109 140 331 380  
Baxter . . . . . 107 130 162 399  
Bryan . . . . . 115 140 167 422  
Howell . . . . . 146 137 114 397  
Total . . . . . 681 721 733 2055

DOYLES  
Kitchens . . . . . 166 124 134 424  
Sullivan . . . . . 114 100 110 324  
Priest . . . . . 128 132 116 376  
Wills . . . . . 125 128 112 365  
Hickerson . . . . . 125 128 112 365  
Handicap . . . . . 2 2 2 6  
Total . . . . . 721 634 590 1945

REEVES OLDSMOBILE  
Cawalt . . . . . 151 145 153 452  
Hollis . . . . . 145 110 155 410  
Stephens . . . . . 141 136 126 413  
Bowden . . . . . 107 132 120 359  
Duenkel . . . . . 152 123 157 432  
Tuesiders . . . . . 157 163 155 475  
Total . . . . . 709 730 699 2228

DELUXE CLEANERS  
McFall . . . . . 146 125 165 436  
Bowden . . . . . 107 132 120 359  
Lewter . . . . . 109 108 146 354  
Murphy . . . . . 106 106 98 304  
Tuesiders . . . . . 157 163 155 475  
Handicap . . . . . 8 8 8 24  
Total . . . . . 631 642 692 1953

BEHRMAN'S  
McWright . . . . . 150 142 118 410  
Secret . . . . . 117 117 117 351  
Drake . . . . . 175 128 144 447  
Little . . . . . 145 138 122 405  
Petrie . . . . . 175 227 188 590  
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## Sports Round-Up

By HUGH FULLERTON, JR. NEW YORK — (AP) — The Red Sox may not think young Willard Dixon is doing a regular job on their pitching staff this year, but they'll never convince the folks in Georgia and Alabama . . . Dixon's handicap is that the Sox have such good young pitchers as Maurice McDermott, Chuck Stobbs and Frank Quinn ahead of him. . . But in Georgia they'll tell you he was too good to play high school ball. Other high schools refused to play Lindale (his home town) if Willard was to pitch; he struck out too many. . . In Alabama they remember him as the Auburn pitcher who set a Southeastern Conference strikeout record of a sophomore before turning pro. He hit close to 400 there, too. . . And last season, at Birmingham, Nixon won 14, lost 7, fanned 104 and, as a sideline, hit .345, including four hits to win one of his own games. . . But at least nobody refused to play.

**NONE FOR THE BOOK** During the trial heats of the 220-yard race at the Eastern college swimming championships at Annapolis last week, Dartmouth's Bill McAndrew broke the Navy pool record with a time of 2:25. . . In the next heat, Jack Blum of Yale made it in 2:12. . . On his way back to the dressing room, McAndrew stopped at the press table to plead: Please get it in the paper that I broke the pool record. It's the first record I ever broke—and I held it for three minutes."

Harvard is planning to leave the Boston Garden and return to its home basketball court next season. . . Coach Norman Shepard likes to grab what "home floor" advantage he can get. And besides, the Harvard basketballers found they were competing with the more-popular Harvard hockey team. . . Johnny Mize almost invented a new golf game trying to strengthen his weak shoulder during the winter. He'd carry a baseball on the golf course and, after hitting each stroke, he'd throw the ball as far as he could down the fairway. . . Only trouble with getting good scores: he couldn't putt a baseball. . . Jake LaMotta will be facing his worst jinx when he fights Chuck Hunter in Cleveland next week. Jake has fought there three times and lost all three.

**CLEANING THE CUFF** White Hanover, a trotter which sold for \$42,000 as a yearling, is due to start his first race this summer as a four year old. He went lame in 1948 but apparently has recovered. . . Bruiser Kinnard, now line coach at Mississippi, has been tabbed as the greatest all-time athlete at Ole Miss in a poll conducted by the student newspaper. . . Lew Burston is trying to line up a few more fights for Ray Famechon, who doesn't want to go right back to France, but he can't find enough fair featherweights to provide opposition. . . Gosh dangdest hobby followed by any baseball player is listed in the Pacific Coast League blue book. Charles Adams, Portland pitcher, captures mountain lions and tames them for pets. Wonder how he treats club owners?

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## Concert Slated Thursday Night



JOHN CARTER

Pampa Community Concert Association will present John Carter, tenor, at 8:30 p. m. tomorrow in the Junior High School Auditorium.

Doors of the auditorium will be opened at 7:30 p. m., so that members of the association will have the opportunity to renew their memberships. The Executive Committee has requested that all renewals be made before the concert or during the intermission.

Carter, who enlisted in the Navy in 1942, spent more than four years in the service as chief petty officer. He was sent "around the world" singing and

## Flying Farmers Set Pampa Visit

Approximately 150 flying farmers of Texas will be in Pampa the afternoon of May 6.

Herbert Hunt, president of Texas Flying Farmers, Claude, said plans have been completed for the tour. The flying farmers, composed primarily of down-state flyers, will have breakfast at Trade-wind Airport in Amarillo before flying to Plainview and Hereford. They will have their noon meal at Boy's Ranch and will then fly to Dumas, Pampa and back to Amarillo.

Quentin Williams, chairman of the Chamber of Commerce Agriculture Committee, and James A. McCune, chairman of the Goodwill and Reception Committee, will arrange a reception party at the airport.

Herbert Hulsey, Tulsa, has charge of the arrangements of the tour.

## Miller Services Held in McLean

McLEAN (Special)—Services were to be held at 2:30 p. m. today at the Church of Christ for Hugh Miller, 73, who died Monday in the Shamrock Hospital where he had been confined since Dec. 9.

Thomas Allen Robertson was to officiate. Burial was to be at Hillcrest Cemetery.

Mr. Miller had been ill for about two years. He moved to the Hill Community 45 years ago where he made his home.

He leaves two children, Mrs. Myrtle L. Austin, Claude; and D. L. Miller, Hill Community; and three grandchildren. He was born July 20, 1876, at Collingsville, Texas.

organizing music programs.

Released from the Navy in 1946, he was immediately engaged as guest soloist by "The Voice of Firestone" and "Eileen Farrell Presents."

Included in tomorrow's program will be the aria "Berceuse" from "Façade," Benjamin Godard; "Romance," Claude Debussy; "Beautiful Dreamer," Stephen Foster and "Serenade," Franz Schubert.

Carter will be accompanied by Robert MacDonald at the piano. MacDonald will play several solo numbers including "Berceuse Opus 57," Frederic Chopin.

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# FINGERPRINTS Don't Lie

By Rupert Hughes  
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THE STORY: The wealthy Wendell Palmer, has been found dead in his library, his skull battered with a desk telephone. Police arrest his daughter's fiancé, a young sculptor Paul Moody. Palmer had opposed Paul's courtship of his daughter and had vetoed Paul's chance to acquire an art group for a new building. A short time before the murder witness had seen Paul entering the Palmer home. Police detective James Stevens made fingerprints on the phone used to smash Palmer's skull and identify them later as Paul's. Refusing to believe Paul murdered her father, Azalea, goes to private detective Martin Queripel to ask him to clear Paul of the murder charge. Queripel is not sure Paul is innocent and tries to tell her to "let justice take its course."

XIII  
"JUSTICE!" Azalea Palmer's pretty lips curled in bitter scorn. "Human justice! A fine and noble young man, a great artist must be lynched as a final reward for all he endured. Justice, you say! Well, it's for you to see that justice, real justice is done to him—and to the fiend who actually killed my poor dear father. He's hiding somewhere now, while the law kills an innocent man. You're going to take the case! And I've got all the money in the world to pay you for your work."

Martin Queripel put forth a hand, patted the high white knuckles and said with a sad smile: "Money is nice, my dear. But it isn't everything—not to everybody. If I should take the case, it would be only to persuade you to give up loving this man. He could not have loved you very well and done what he did."

"But he didn't! He didn't! He didn't!"

"Unfortunately a woman's faith is not accepted in our courts as a counterweight to legal evidence." "Legal evidence, my fool! What does evidence prove?"

Queripel saw that she was going

## Short Distance Is Long in Years

CHICAGO (AP)—Two sisters who became separated from their only brother as children in 1918 have been reunited. They learned they had lived 10 blocks from him for the last 15 years.

The reunion was in the home of Mrs. Rose Gamberdine, 35. She and her sister, Mrs. Pauline Rieck, 37, had not seen their brother, Orlando P. Salerno, 31, since they were separated during the 1918 influenza epidemic. Salerno learned a few months ago that he had sisters when he obtained his birth certificate in a loyalty checkup at the naval ordnance plant where he is a painter. After further investigation he located his sisters.

to prove a very difficult, if not an impossible client. He knew that in times of hysteria, pouring out sympathy is like scattering oil on fire; so he spoke a bit sternly.

"Before I could even consider taking your case, Miss Palmer, I'd have to make one thing plain—one proviso you'd have to accept."

"I accept it! What is it?"

"If, in the course of my investigations, I should find further evidence that your lover committed the crime he is accused of—I will turn that evidence over to the authorities. I am a private detective, but I consider myself a part of the machinery of justice. And no money—no, not even my sympathy for you—could bribe me into helping to frustrate justice. Perhaps I might even convince you that Paul Moody is unworthy of your love."

"You could never do that, not in a thousand years."

He paused, a little dazed by the granite in so velvet a soul, dazzled by those diamond eyes of hers.

HE made one last plea; for he was eager to escape from such a hopeless case:

"Wouldn't you rather go to somebody with a more elastic conscience than I have?—or a greater devotion to his client than to a mere abstract notion?"

She stared at him and the diamonds between her eyelids turned to white ice.

"I want you to take it. Just because you're so honest."

"Well, since you think he is guiltless—"

"I don't think I know!" she cried. "All the fingerprints in the world wouldn't convince me. If you can convince me, you'll have earned anything you want to charge. But I dare you to try it." It was such a challenge as Quer-

## Israel Criticized in Bernadotte Case

TEL AVIV, Israel (AP)—The Israeli government yesterday received the text of a Swedish report accusing it of negligence in seeking the slayers of Count Folke Bernadotte, United Nations Palestine mediator. There was no immediate official comment here.

ipel had never faced. He accepted it with sudden fascination. He said: "A faith and a love like yours ought to be rewarded. Now you'd better begin and tell me all you know or think you know. And don't conceal things—not from me of all people. There's the old saying: Lie to anybody but your doctor and your lawyer. There's a third party still more important—your own detective would be fatal. Let's begin, say with a motive. Did Paul have strong reasons for rage at your father?"

"Indeed he had! Paul is young and struggling but a good artist. He is poor because his parents were poor. From his first mud-pies he wanted to be a sculptor. He had a hard time paying for his lessons in art and anatomy and all that. But from his start he began to do well. He actually made a little money—not what my father made, but enough to enable him to go about in what they call society. He had to do that to get commissions. I met him at the tennis club. He played a good game of tennis."

"There is not much money in portraiture for a sculptor in Los Angeles. The movie stars get photographed so much they don't care for marble or bronze. The other people in town don't go in for busts or figures—even in the cemeteries."

"I met Paul at one of the tennis matches. Right away we fell in love. I went mad over him. I could tell he loved me, but he ran away. He told me afterwards he was afraid of a rich girl. But I ran after him. I saw he was the man God meant for me, the man God meant me for; and I wasn't going to be robbed of my fate by any old qualms of maidenly modesty—any more than I'm going to let any old pretensions of justice take him from me now."

"To force some money on him I asked him to do a portrait of my father in marble. Daddy wouldn't pose. So I commissioned Paul to do a head of me. It was a marvelous masterpiece."

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Mrs. Virginia Estes, Pampa.  
R. A. Baker, Pampa.  
Don Holmes, White Deer.  
Mrs. Holmes, White Deer.  
Mrs. Charlotte Risley, Pampa.  
Mrs. Ethel Poole and baby, Borger.  
Mrs. E. J. Windom and baby, McLean.

## Kite-Flying Contest Set by Cub Scouts

The 50 boys of the First Baptist Church Cub Pack 20 have informed the weatherman he'd better have clear skies in Pampa tomorrow—or else! They want to stage a kite-flying contest.

Perry Gaut, Cubmaster, said the Scouts have been building kites for the past two weeks and if foul weather hits town tomorrow there will be about 50 disappointed Scouts.

The contest is planned to get underway at 4 p. m. with an open ceremony presented by the Scouts on the vacant pastures at Cook and Hobart. Plaques will be presented.

## STOCKS

NEW YORK STOCKS  
(By The Associated Press)

Am Air	23	114	114
Am T&T	89	152 1/2	152 1/2
Am Woolen	10	22	22
Anacostia	20	28 1/2	28 1/2
Atch T&SF	20	110	109 1/2
Avco	28	7	6 1/2
Beth Steel	42	24 1/2	24 1/2
Branch Air	4	3 1/2	3 1/2
Chrysler	41	67 1/2	67 1/2
Cont Motors	13	6 1/2	6 1/2
Cont Oil Ind	13	6 1/2	6 1/2
Curtiss Wright	23	8 1/2	8 1/2
Freight Sulph	3	64 1/2	64 1/2
Gen Elec	65	174	174
Gen Motors	65	76 1/2	76 1/2
Goodrich	3	33 1/2	33 1/2
Grayhound	11	33 1/2	33 1/2
Gulf Oil	19	64	63 1/2
Houston	17	26 1/2	26 1/2
Int Harv	67	26 1/2	26 1/2
Kan City South	17	54 1/2	54 1/2
Monte Wash	6	26 1/2	26 1/2
MKT	8	5 1/2	5 1/2
National Typ	27	19 1/2	19 1/2
No Am Avia	39	12 1/2	12 1/2
Ohio Oil	14	14 1/2	14 1/2
Packard Motor	33	3 1/2	3 1/2
Pan Am Air	14	10 1/2	10 1/2
Panhandle	17	2 1/2	2 1/2
Pennsey JC	5	58 1/2	58 1/2
Phillips	85	37 1/2	37 1/2
Plymouth	3	41 1/2	41 1/2
Pure Oil	23	20 1/2	20 1/2
Radio Corp A	14	14 1/2	14 1/2
Republic Steel	28	26 1/2	26 1/2
Sears Roebuck	4	43 1/2	43 1/2
Stinebaugh	109	24	24 1/2
Soco Fuel	43	17 1/2	17 1/2
Standard Oil	22	51 1/2	51 1/2
Stand Oil Cal	19	65 1/2	65 1/2
Stand Oil Ind	20	45 1/2	45 1/2
Stand Oil N.J.	19	62 1/2	62 1/2
Sun Oil	6	60	59 1/2
Texas Co	6	62 1/2	62 1/2
Texas Gulf Prod	9	17 1/2	17 1/2
Tex Gulf Sul	6	72 1/2	72 1/2
Tex Pac	2	25 1/2	25 1/2
Tide Wat A Oil	11	24 1/2	24 1/2
US Rubber	5	43 1/2	43 1/2
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**Denfeld Believes 'Super Carrier' Due Eventually**

NEW YORK — (AP) — Admiral Louis E. Denfeld, former chief of naval operations, says he believes the U. S. eventually will revive the now-junked plans for a super aircraft carrier. The project was abandoned last year after plans for the giant carrier already were underway. Denfeld, replaced as naval operations chief during the recent armed forces unification squabble, said the new Navy was "particularly distressed" when the project was halted. He told a Town Hall audience that the Navy had "put everything we learned in World War Two" into the carrier and "we felt it should be built." "The Navy had the best interest of the country at heart," he said, "and I feel sure that one of these days it will still be built."

**Seven Illicit Stills Are Seized in State**

AUSTIN — (AP) — The state liquor control board has reported capture during February of seven illicit stills, two in Smith County and one each in San Augustine, Marion, Freestone, Bowie and Red River counties. Seven arrests were made.

**Oklahoma Sheriffs Can Sell Seized Liquor in Wet States**

OKLAHOMA CITY — (AP) — Sheriffs in legally dry Oklahoma can sell confiscated liquor in wet states, State Attorney General Mac Q. Williamson has ruled. Williamson said the legislative act providing for the sale was constitutional, but he didn't set a method for negotiating such

transactions. The opinion was requested by Oklahoma County Attorney Granville Scanland and was mailed to sheriffs, county attorneys and judges. Since the last Legislature passed the law, no sheriff has sold contraband liquor in wet states.

No standard order of procedure has been set up and liquor is piling up in many sheriff's offices.

Under the act, Williamson explained that a sheriff must first get a court order directing the sale of seized liquor. But he added the court may find the liquor unsalable for many reasons, such as being non-taxable, not in condition to be sold under federal regulations or that a market may not be found within a

reasonable time. Deputy Commissioner Carroll E. Mealey advised Williamson that sheriffs will not be required to purchase federal occupational tax stamps when they decide to sell their goods in wet states. A district court test of the law is pending in Carter County.

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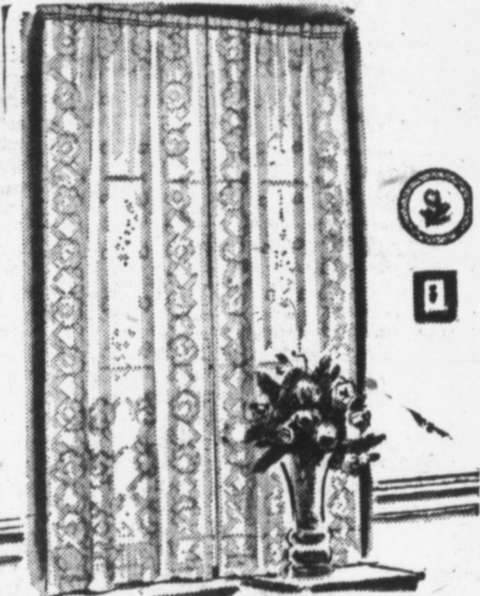
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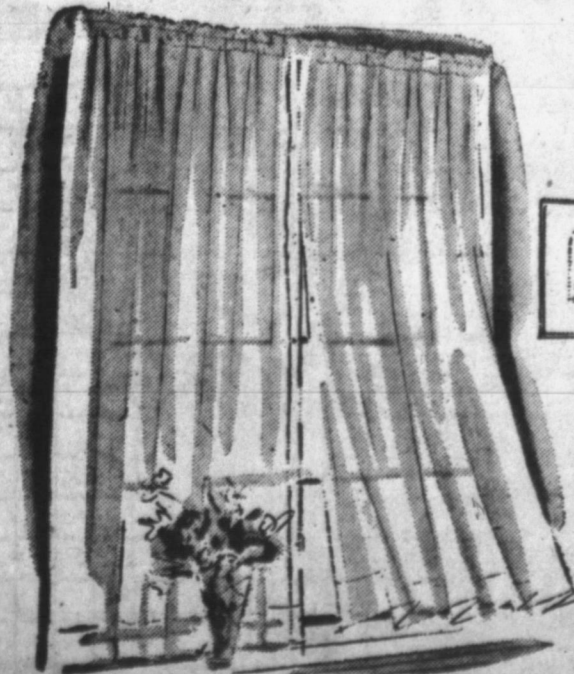
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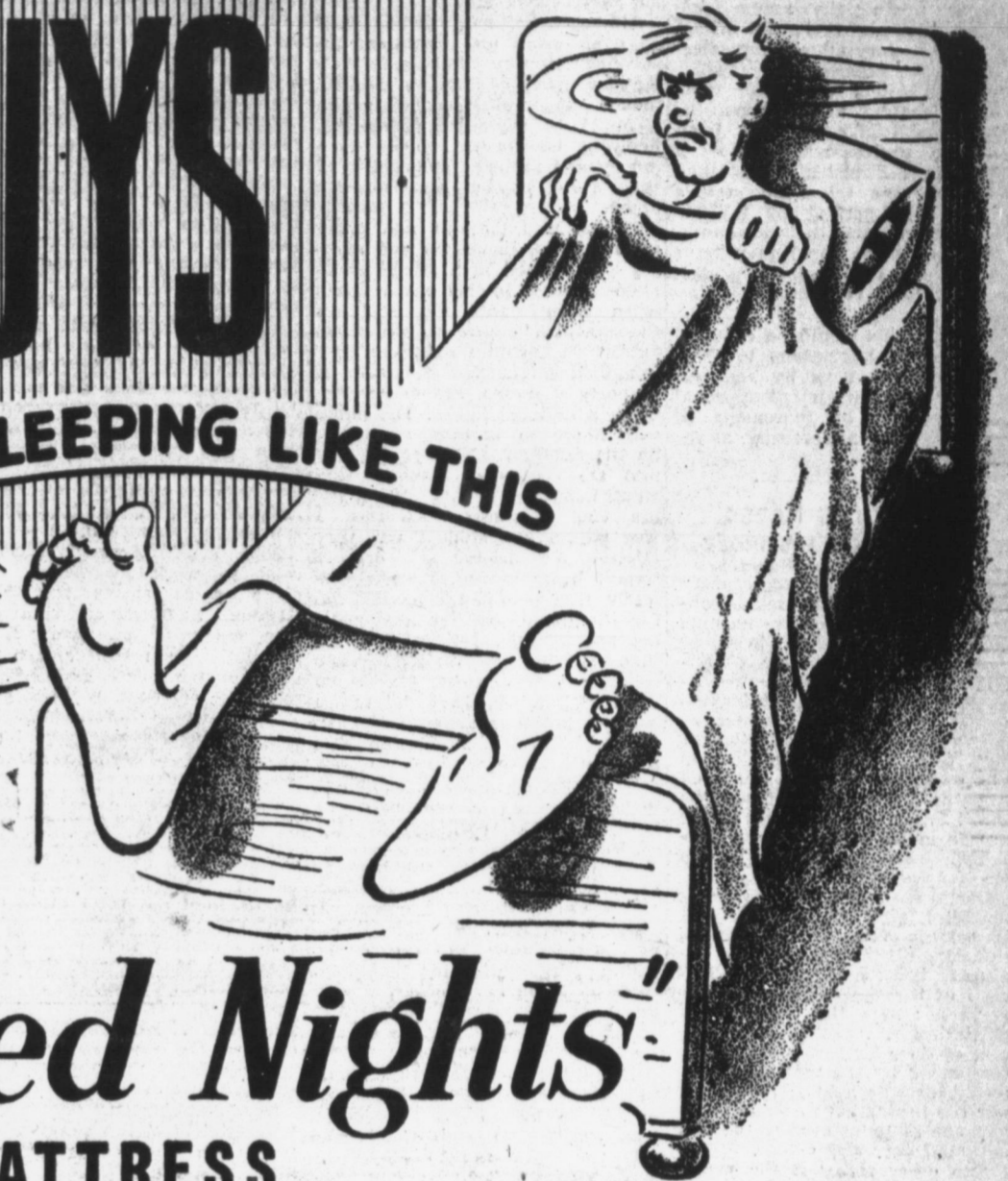
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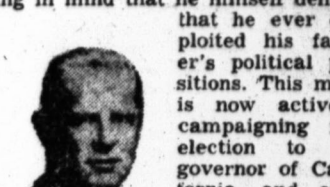
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Fair Enough - Pegler

By WESTBROOK PEGLER (Copyright, 1950)

Without further introduction, I would like to resume study of Jimmy Roosevelt's business activities and the morals and ethics bespoken by those activities, bearing in mind that he himself denies that he ever exploited his father's political position.



WESTBROOK PEGLER

She said there were accumulated reports of "Hale's irregularities." She refused on Jan. 27, 1928, Chamberlain spent the evening with Hale and the next morning showed twenty \$1,000 bills to a man in Newark. All Chamberlain's deposits were in currency except one \$500 deposit from a company which refused information "because it might incriminate them."

She said this company was a cover for the C. J. Higgins Company in Newark, which had a permit to manufacture alcohol. She said a New Jersey agent named Sparks sent two men to the suspected premises in New York City.

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New York attorney in the incorporation of "Politics," jumped from \$5,000 to \$50,000. She said there was a safe deposit box in that most streets in New York, to which "John Morgan" had access and said that, beyond reasonable doubt, Hale was Morgan. Hale's highest income tax was \$43 and his losses for his five years in the prohibition service was \$75.

Hale testified that he personally had lost \$8,000 on "Politics" in 1928. Mrs. Willibrand said that if Hale's losses were truthful he never had enough to stand this loss.

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Common Ground

By R. C. HOLES Lincoln As A Pioneer Of American Freedom

I have been commenting on Rudolf Kocker's "Pioneers of American Freedom." The list would not be complete without setting forth the author's ideas on the important statements made by Lincoln on freedom.

Lincoln's whole political concept pivoted on the Declaration of Independence. Then the author quotes Lincoln: "I have never had a feeling politically, that did not spring from the sentiments embodied in the Declaration of Independence. The great principle of the Declaration was that sentiment which gave liberty not alone to the people of this country, but to all the world for future time."

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news behind the news

WASHINGTON - A semi-official estimate of the eventual cost of government operations under President Truman's complete Fair Deal program makes the warning of the Republicans "price tag" committee sound like the report of an accountant in a hole-in-the-wall grocery store. They placed the financing of 11 pending measures at \$10 billion.

But Chairman John L. McClellan of the Committee on Expenditures in the Executive Departments in the Senate said that the budget from its current total of approximately \$40 billion to \$85 billion a year.

His calculation was made by the committee's expert staff on the basis of testimony given by White House spokesmen before various congressional groups. It is no fly-by-night guess.

DISASTER - "These figures," explains the Arkansas senator, "do not represent either the highest or lowest totals, but in most instances they range closer to the lowest than they do to the highest estimates submitted in hearings on the different bills."

Congressional approval, concludes the Expenditures chairman, will commit the nation to a program of deficit spending that can end "only in economic collapse and national disaster."

TAX - His experts also figure that the presidential proposals, if they become effective, will increase the present tax burden by \$166 annually for every man, woman and child in the United States, which would mean an annual tax payment of \$433 annually, if financed on a pay-as-you-go basis, for every man, woman and child.

When he came home with his pension and the evening newspaper, my Aunt Sue wasn't worried, but she was very upset. By then she had his supper on the table and it was getting cold. And I have another uncle who will be away longer than that when the police locate him.

Bid For A Smile

HARVEY HIGGINS - You know, women are nuts, simply nuts! I haven't met but one sensible woman in a conversation with a nut.

FRIEND (anxiously) - Why didn't you marry her? HIGGINS (blushing) - I proposed, but she was too sensible to have me.

Gracie - So you were on the scrub team at college. Applicant: Yes, sir. Gracie - Then you ought to be just the young man I need to keep this store open and span.

revenue agent was investigating a mountain region once famous for its corn liquor, and struck up a conversation with a native. Revenue Agent - Tell me, is there any moonshine made around here any more? Native: Well, there's them as calls it moonshine, but to tell the truth it acts more like amphetamine.

PROJECTED - Mr. McClellan's experienced accountants, however, have projected the initial total on the basis of their studies. And their findings, which have not been challenged from any quarter, are that this \$7 billion will expand into an annual expenditure of \$25 billion within four or five years.

Corner Grocer

By GORDON MARTIN

In the business world there's lots of folks you learn to know as friends, and their kindly aid is something on which everyone depends. In emergency, you find they quickly come to your relief, and they help you solve your problems with a minimum of grief.

Since his store is quite a crossroads for the folks along the street, you can visit with your neighbors while he sells you things to eat. And the grocer, should tell him that you've found the going tough, and he'll put it on the cuff. For nobody's quite so helpful as your fortune big or small, than the grocer on the corner who's a friend to one and all.

The Doctor In Hollywood

By ERSKINE JOHNSON NEA Staff Correspondent

HOLLYWOOD (NEA) - BEHIND THE SCENES: Kathryn Grayson and Mario Lanza are co-stars in "Toast of New Orleans" at M-G-M. One scene required Kathryn to eat a whole turkey. The director suggested: "Go ahead, Kathryn, let him have a good one—make it realistic."

Warner Brothers is in such haste to cast its new English star, Richard Todd, in another movie following his hit in "The Holy Heart," that they showed him into Lenora Coffee's secret room, "Lightning Strikes Twice."

Todd plays a rancher in New Mexico, strums a guitar, rides western style and displays expertise at judging cattle. An added line of dialog from Ruth Roman puts everything straight. The first time they meet she says: "You're English, aren't you? You nod his head an explains he was born in England."

As a young man with writing aspirations, M-G-M producer Leon Gordon met Rudyard Kipling aboard a trans-Atlantic steamer. "You discuss writing and Kipling advised young Gordon: 'Don't write about Africa or India or the British colonies.'"

"Why?" asked the puzzled Gordon. "Because," said Kipling, "everybody who goes there for five minutes does."

Years later Gordon disregarded Kipling's advice. Without even spending five minutes in a British colony, he wrote the fabulously successful "White Cargo," about an English consul and a native doll. Now the path of Kipling and Gordon has crossed again. The picture was filmed in the actual colonies. Interiors now will be shot at the studio and then, Flynn goes to Palm Springs for a vacation.

For almost a year, as M-G-M's Kipling and India expert, Gordon's office overflowed with props and costumes for the film. It looked like a bazaar. In fact there's a story being told at M-G-M about an agent who tried to get past Gordon's secretary. He had no luck at all until finally, as he told:

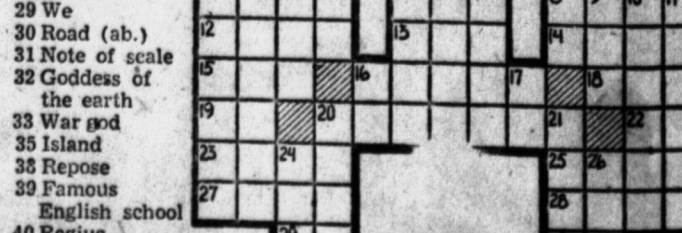
"I went to the wardrobe department, borrowed a turban, went back to Gordon's office and was admitted instantly."

ELKIE OF LIFE - Some of Hollywood's top glamorous stars are "80 and 90 years old." "Well, anyway, that's the claim of an English vitamin tonic. Advertisements for the tonic read: 'You can be young in 24 hours. The actors and actresses of Hollywood are active, young-looking and charming by the use of this tonic even at an advanced age of 80 and 90 years.'"

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The original lighthouse on Cape Hatteras, N. C., was damaged in the Civil War and torn down when the present one was built farther inland.

About Pampa's Phone Directory

Once again the annual telephone directory is in the office, and the directory advertising salesmen have swarmed into town.

We can't help but think their eagerness to get the new directory in time, it will give a lot of business and professional men a chance to demonstrate how they feel about the telephone service they've been getting by the reception they give the salesmen.

Many of these local men have never been to any of the protest meetings held regarding the telephone service. This is a real pity, as it would be an opportunity for them to greet the out-of-town boys by registering their approval or disapproval of the service by increasing or decreasing their advertising, as the case might be.

The Nation's Press

HAMPERING PHILANTHROPY

From all sections of the country come complaints that municipalities and communities are meeting serious discouragement in their campaigns for funds for philanthropies. In spite of high-pressure salesmanship and sentimental appeals, quotas remain unfulfilled.

This is a lamentable situation, as most persons will agree. One of our great outstanding national traits has been support of benevolence. In our opinion, however, the decline in support of this philanthropic enterprises is due to two primary factors.

One is the policy of the government in levying certain taxes on persons of substantial incomes, siphoning off the bulk of their salaries or investment earnings. This class of the population, which for years has been the backbone of philanthropy. When up to 75 percent of their incomes is practically confiscated by the federal government, there is neither the ability nor the inclination to make altruistic contributions even to the best and most deserving causes.

The other factor is the propagation in the popular mind of dependency on the government. As a result of governmental promotion of the pension, dependency and "gimme" complex, the citizen of average means, struggling to maintain his own financial solvency, and paying out about one-fourth of his income in taxes, naturally is inclined to say, when approached for philanthropic contributions, "Let the government do it."

The taxation policies of the national administration together with its inflationary policies which have cut the dollar in two, have had equally serious repercussions in the financial experiences of colleges and hospitals depending on endowments for their sustenance. When the worth of these endowments is cut in two—or even further reduced—by government fiscal policies, their income shrinks even while their expenses soar as a result of inflation.

The American spirit of philanthropy has manifested itself over several generations. But it cannot survive under a system which robs the philanthropically inclined through punitive taxation, while implanting in the popular mind the idea of "leave it to the government."

Washington.....by Peter Edson

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Line Accepts Diesel Plans

DALLAS - (AP) - Directors of Texas & Pacific Railway have authorized diesel locomotives for all eight trains between Big Spring and El Paso.

The 348-mile Big Spring-El Paso district thus will become the first in the system to get diesel - electric trains for every phase of operations, switching, local trains and through trains. President W. G. Volmer said the move necessitates purchase of 11 more new engines. The Texas & Pacific branch from El Paso to Monahans, Texas, to Lovington, N. M., is included in the dieselization program.

Volmer said the 13 engines will cost about \$350,000. The directors also approved a 1 1/4 percent preferred and 5 1/8 percent common stock dividends payable April 7 to stockholders of record March 31.

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Vertical sidebar containing various advertisements including 'Meth Begu', 'The Doctor', 'GALL', 'Box Office', 'LaNOR', 'ON THE', 'TALEN', 'On the', 'TODAY', 'MEET...', 'DURBIN', 'FOR Y', 'Color', 'NO Adm', 'CROW', 'NOW', 'MICRO', 'Parlor'.









**Alanreed Seniors To Present Play At 8 P.M. Friday**

ALANREED — Nine High School seniors will be presented in "The Clue of the Red Ribbon," three act comedy, at 8 p.m. Friday in the Alanreed Auditorium. Harold Knight, superintendent of schools, said the performance is the annual Senior Class play. Students who will appear include Aleta Fae Millem, who will portray Janet; Janette Fish, as Carol; Jo Ann Hill, Sissy; Betty Allen, Mary Beth; Ella Mae Castleberry, Angy. Patsy Hommel, Jerry; Jo B. Ashworth, Mandy; Virginia Hill, Jane; and Willie Smith, Miss Summers.

**Memorial Arena To Honor Student**

ABILENE — (AP) — A \$10,000 rodeo arena is to be erected in the memory of a Hardin-Simmons University student killed in a Big Spring shooting last summer. The arena will be built by Hardin-Simmons and George S. Anderson, a member of the board of trustees, said it would be named the Carl Myers Memorial Arena. Myers was fatally wounded when struck by a bullet from a rodeo contestant's gun at the Big Spring rodeo arena last August. A rodeo judge was killed.

**Errant 'Saucer' Hurts Churchman**

LOS ANGELES — (AP) — Not only has S. K. Bennett seen a flying saucer, but he's also been flooded by one. A staff member of Angelus Temple, Bennett was helping set the stage there for an illustrated sermon on "Flying Saucers and Men from Mars." A stage prop "saucer" got out of control, slid down a wire too fast and knocked Bennett down. He was treated for a gashed leg.

**Legal Records**

**SUITS FILED**  
Elda June Johnson vs. Ronald Bruce Johnson, divorce.  
Tommy Flaherty vs. Don A. Flaherty, divorce.  
Martha Hall vs. Neal A. Hall, divorce.  
Lillian Horten vs. Ray Horten, divorce.  
Bernice Weaver vs. Lawrence Weaver, divorce.  
Alta Mae Brewer vs. Vern E. Brewer, divorce.



**Q: Why was Paul Bunyan's ox blue?**  
A: According to the loggers of the Northwest, Babe, the blue ox, owed his color to the fact that he was born in the winter of the blue snow.  
**Q: Why do you prune young timber trees?**  
A: By removing the knot-forming lower branches, pruning makes it possible to get clear wood earlier.  
**Q: Are lightning rods ever put on trees?**  
A: Valuable trees are sometimes rodged. The trees on Washington's estate at Mount Vernon are protected by wires run up the trunks to provide a good conducting path that carries lightning harmlessly to the ground should the tree be struck.  
**Q: Is there a planet nearer the sun than Mercury?**  
A: No large planet approaches the sun more closely than Mercury, but there is a tiny planet, perhaps a mile in diameter, that does. It is known as the Badae asteroid.  
**Q: Do hen ostriches bury their heads?**  
A: Ostriches really do bury their heads in the sand when danger threatens. South African naturalists reported after seeing hen ostriches do so when the scientists' plane dove toward a flock of them, while the male ostriches glared defiance.  
**Q: Is there really a town called Santa Claus?**  
A: There is a town by this name in Indiana. Tons of mail are sent here at Christmas time to be remailed with the Santa Claus postmark.  
**Q: Why was Gen. Jose de San Martin named the Hannibal of the Andes?**  
A: Because he came from his native Argentina with a body of troops, over the mountains, to help Chile win her independence.

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Values to \$10.95... **\$2.98**

**Sale! Brassieres**  
Tearose, black. Values to \$3.98... **\$1.50**

**Sale! PAJAMAS GOWNS**  
Values to \$8.95... **\$2.98**

**Sale! Better Satin and Nylon GOWNS**  
Values to \$24.95... **\$5.00**

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